

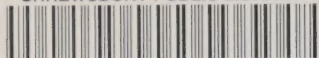
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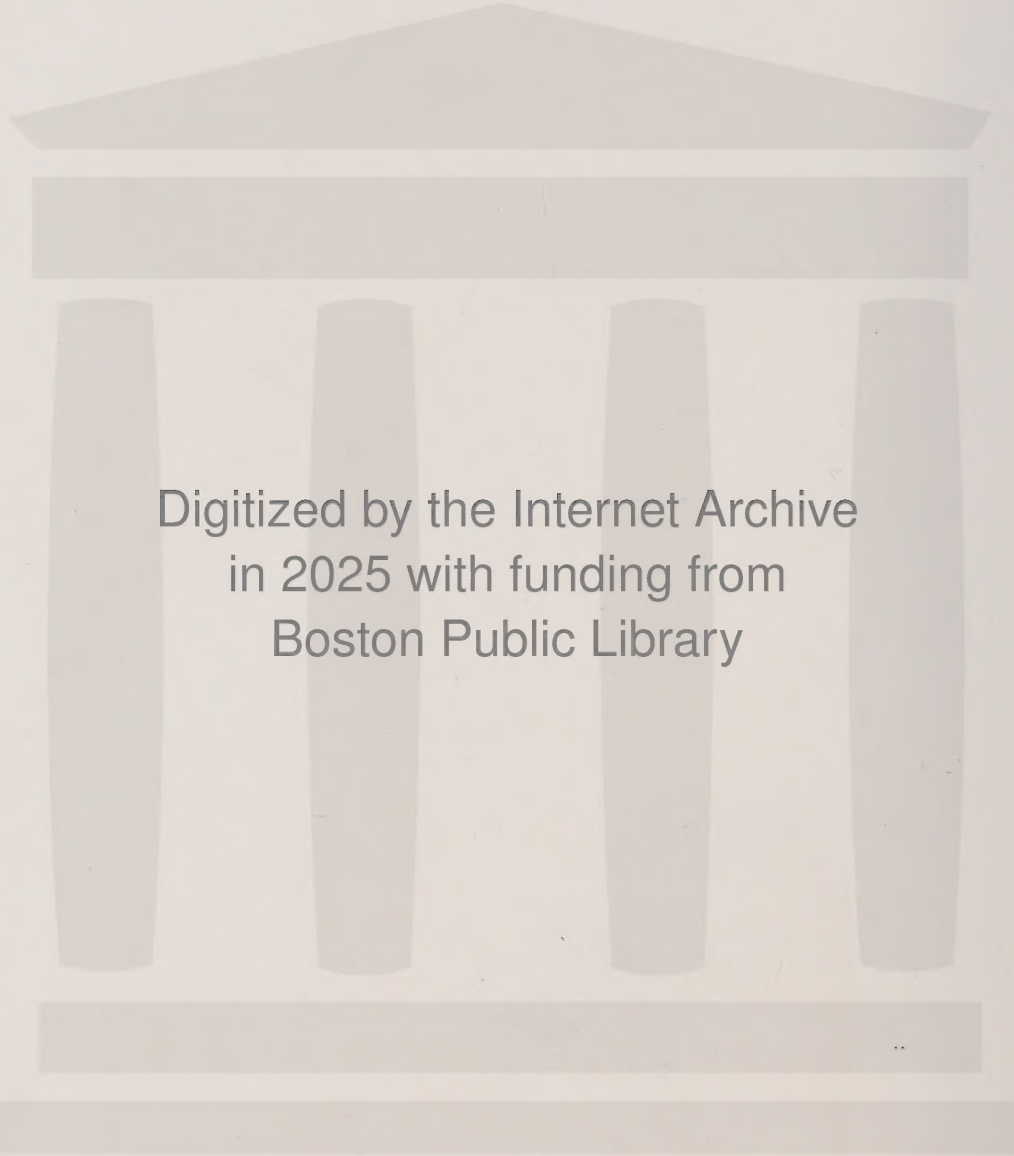
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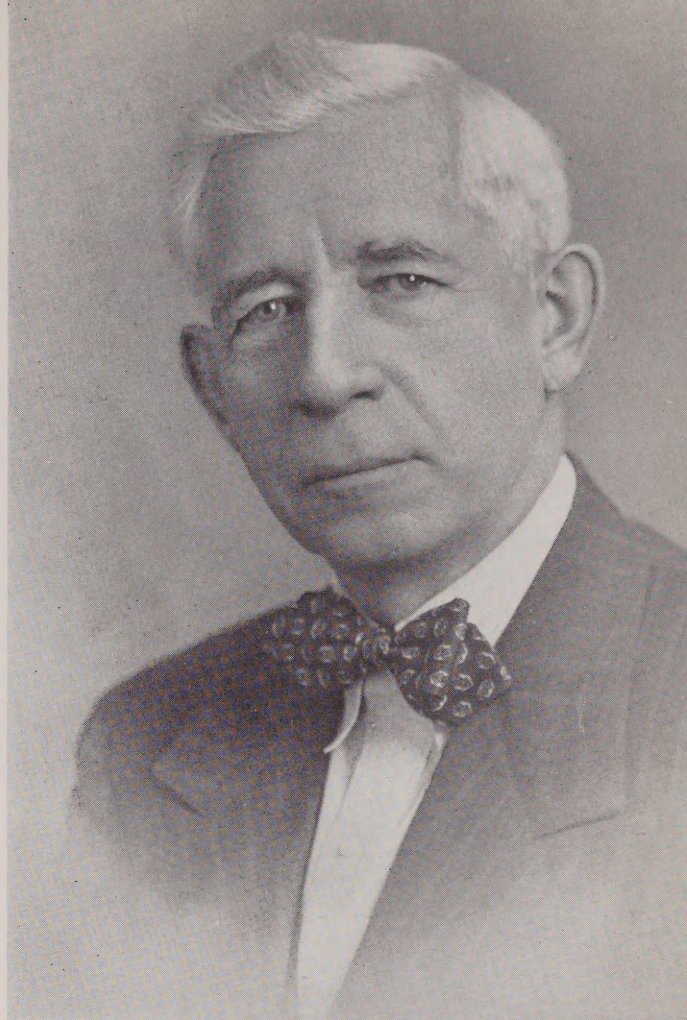


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## *Our Dedication*

*Ernest A. Larrabee*



*Our "Colonial" is respectfully and sincerely dedicated to Mr. Ernest A. Larrabee, who has guided us for many years and who has been with us during our entire school career.*

*Mr. Larrabee graduated from Tufts College in 1912, receiving a B. S. Degree in Mechanical Engineering. He came to Shrewsbury in 1925 as principal and manual training instructor at the Ward School. In 1927, he attended Harvard Graduate School, studying for his Master of Education Degree which he received in 1932. Beal High School welcomed him as a teacher of sciences in 1943.*

*His influence and helpful ways have earned him the title of "Father Larrabee" from pupils and teachers.*





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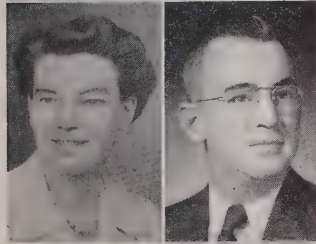
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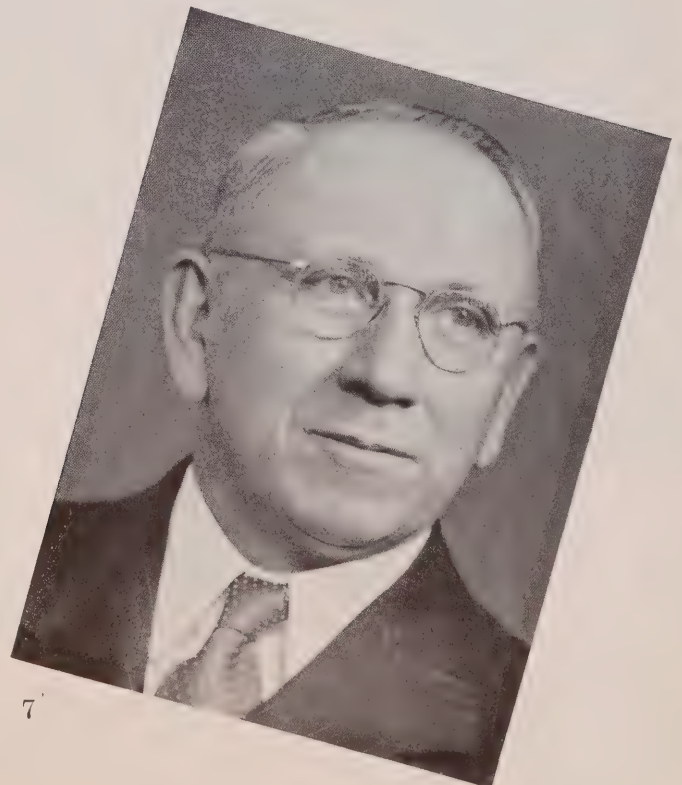
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## Seniors





**CARLO ALANO**

*Rollo*

*Facing life with a smile and a song*

Since Rollo left the Army and joined our ranks here at Beal, his popularity has soared steadily. With his mellow voice he has boosted along many a program at school. So it's—"Look Out Broadway! Here I Come!"

**Activities:**

Freshman Prize Speaking (Soloist), Glee Club, Usher at Graduation, Junior Prize Speaking (Soloist), Senior Choir, Athletic Association, Spring Musical, Sadie Hawkins Dance.

**JOSEPH ALBRIZIO**

*Joe*

*A likeable lad with likeable ways*

Joe has been an active member of our football squad for three years. His gay manner has won him many friends at Shrewsbury High. In the fall Joe will enter Sanborn Academy, which fact should be an asset to their football team.

**Activities:**

Football, Glee Club, Spring Musical, Senior Choir, Pop Concert, Snow Frolic.



**RICHARD T. ANTOUN**

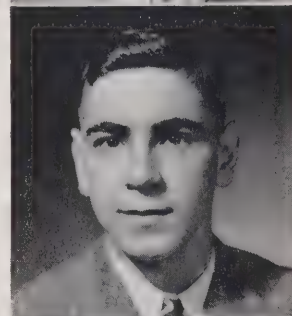
*Dick*

*The force of his own merit makes his way*

Dick, with his wonderful mind and speaking ability, has won the respect of all his classmates. As an industrious orator, he has won many honors in the debating field. The class wishes him success in the field of journalism.

**Activities:**

National Forensic League, National Honor Society, Football, French Club, Senior Choir, American Legion Oratorical Contest, Sophomore Hop, United Nations Contest, Debating Club, Junior Prize Speaking, Freshman Prize Speaking.



**NANCY ARMSTRONG**

*Nan*

*Few words are best*

Nancy came to us in her junior year from Central High School, Manchester, New Hampshire. Nan's voice is not often heard by her classmates, but to those who know her she is a good friend with a sense of humor.

**Activities:**

Orchestra, Debating Club, Snow Frolic, Dramatic Club, Spring Musical, International Friendship League.



**LAWRENCE W. BARTLETT**

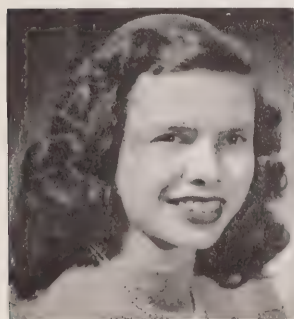
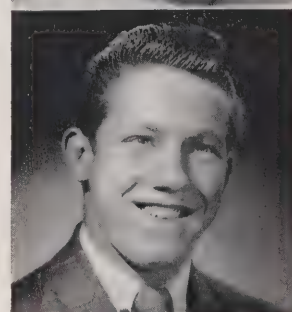
*Larry*

*Fun is where he is*

The arrival of Larry at any school function assures those present that in a short time a riot will take place. He was wise and knew that he couldn't let the ladies interfere with his studies; so he gave up studying. However, there are times when Larry takes things seriously, mainly on the football field, where he has won many fans.

**Activities:**

Football, Glee Club, Hi-Y, Senior Choir, French Club, Spring Musical, Sophomore Hop, Freshman Social, Junior Prom.



**SHIRLEY BEER**

*Shirl*

*There's a good time coming*

Fun will make a major part of Shirley's life. Her ready smile makes life merry and turns many a dull moment into gaiety. Shirl is among the best-dressed girls in the class. She certainly will make someone an excellent office assistant.

**Activities:**

Athletic Association, Snow Frolic, French Club, Sophomore Hop, Glee Club, Freshman Social, Victory Dance, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Spring Musical.



## GEORGE M. CHEVALIER

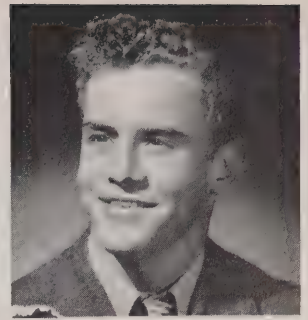
*A little mischief now and then is relished by the best of men*

There's never a dull moment in any class that Chev attends. His dry wit is the source of many a laugh. The girls would like to know where he got such beautiful curly hair. Chev excels in playing the steel guitar and plans to be a musician.

### Activities:

Glee Club, Senior Choir.

*Chev*



## AUDREY B. T. CLIFF

*Living is a pleasant task*

Audrey may appear quiet on the surface, but really she is a lively and active girl who gets the most out of life. Her friends will tell you how much fun she is to be with. The University of Massachusetts is going to gain another lively Miss. Best of luck, Red.

### Activities:

Senior Choir, Glee Club, French Club, Camera Club, Snow Frolic, Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Spring Musical, Athletic Association, Red Cross, Student Council, International Friendship League.

*Red*



## PRISCILLA BIRNIE

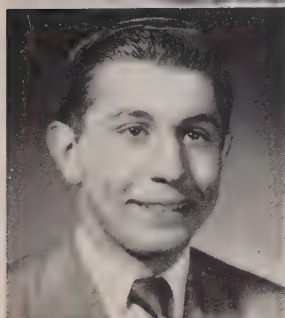
*Tall, boisterous, and talkative*

Cookie has a very pleasant voice and will make a charming and successful telephone operator. She was an active member of our basketball and hockey teams.

### Activities:

French Club, Victory Dance, Hockey, Camera Club, Yearbook Staff, Basketball, Senior Choir, Athletic Association, Band.

*Cookie*



## CHARLES BORGHESANI

*Silence is a virtue*

Charlie is quiet, industrious, and always ready with a good joke. He's on the football team and is up to date on all sports. Charlie plans to attend Worcester Boys' Trade school and become a contractor.

### Activities:

Football, French Club, Junior Prom (Chairman), Athletic Association, Sophomore Hop.

*Charlie*



## LEWIS L. BOWKER

*Live and love them all*

Happy-go-lucky, that's our Lewy with his ever-present smile. Whenever an S. O. S. was heard from the girls' hockey team, Lewy gladly answered with an offer to drive the "Bowkermobile." His plans are to attend Paul Smith's College next year to study forestry.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, Glee Club, Athletic Association, Senior Choir, Football, Hi-Y, French Club.

*Lewy*

## DOROTHY BURKHARDT

*Who shall say that anything is impossible*

Dot will be remembered among the Senior Class as the helping hand when workers were needed. The admirable qualities of leadership, intelligence, and good humor have won her many friends. Her election to the National Honor Society tops off her high school career. Dot wants to become a school teacher and would like to teach the fifth or sixth grade.

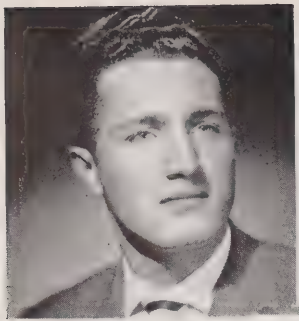
### Activities:

National Honor Society (Secretary), Student Council (President), Lambda Tau Sigma, Junior Prom, Yearbook (Business Manager), Magazine Drive (Business Manager), "Town Crier," Whist Party, International Friendship League, Athletic Association, Glee Club, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, Junior Red Cross Inter-High School Delegate, Freshman Prize Speaking, Teller for Senior Banking, National Forensic League.

*Dot*







## CARLO ALANO

Rollo

*Facing life with a smile and a song*

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### Activities:

Freshman Prize Speaking (Soloist), Glee Club, Usher at Graduation, Junior Prize Speaking (Soloist), Senior Choir, Athletic Association, Spring Musical, Sadie Hawkins Dance.

## BARBARA CAMBRIA

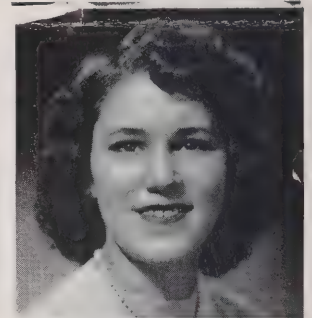
Barb

*Quiet, dark, and tactful*

Barb is a likeable, friendly, quiet girl, whose ability is admired by all her classmates. Barb can really twirl a baton and was a majorette in our band. She plans to enter either the field of commercial art or secretarial work.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Yearbook Staff, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, Glee Club, "Town Crier" Staff, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Band (Majorette), Usher at Graduation, Athletic Association, Class of '47 Senior Ball (Queen), National Honor Society.



## MARGARET CARROLL

Peg

*A modest and reserved, but charming maid*

Peg's hesitant smile and low voice are facets of her nature which have made Beal High so enjoyable. Quiet and friendly, she has made many friends during her few years here. The grapevine tells us that Peg would like to study voice. She takes with her our sincere wishes for success.

### Activities:

"Town Crier," Senior Choir, Glee Club, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Snow Frolic, Pop Concert.



## SALLY ANN CARROLL

Sal

*She turns to favor and to prettiness*

An ever-ready smile, a cheerful word, and a pleasing manner are characteristic of Sal. She is always brimming over with fun and mischief and has helped enliven many a dark moment. She has always been ready to lend a hand. Success will follow Sal wherever she may go.

### Activities:

Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, Athletic Association, Freshman Prize Speaking, Glee Club, Cheerleader, Senior Choir, Camera Club, "Town Crier," Sadie Hawkins Dance, Snow Frolic, Dramatic Club, International Friendship League, Sophomore Social.



## ROBERT CASHMON

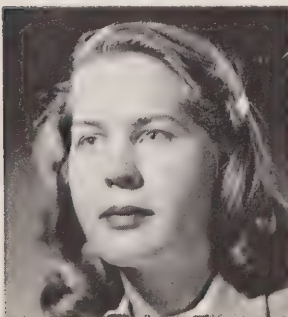
Bob

*Laugh and the world laughs with you*

Bob's sportsmanship has helped us toward many a victory. His popularity with the girls may be due to those flashy ties he sports. His abilities will certainly help him in his career as a salesman. Bob is planning to enter Cushing Academy.

### Activities:

Football, Hi-Y, Glee Club, Baseball, Snow Frolic, Spring Musical, Yearbook, Freshman Prize Speaking, Athletic Association.



## AUDREY JANE CATE

A. J.

*Tactful, nice, and good to look at*

Audrey may seem quiet, but those who have played hockey and softball with her realize that she is always ready to join in the fun. A. J. plans to attend the University of Massachusetts to study in the scientific field of agriculture.

### Activities:

Athletic Association, Yearbook, Whist Party, Softball, Sadie Hawkins Dance, French Club, Freshman Social, Glee Club, Victory Dance, Hockey (Co-captain), Snow Frolic, Sophomore Hop, Lambda Tau Sigma, Spring Musical, Senior Choir, "Town Crier," Junior Prom, Pop Concert.

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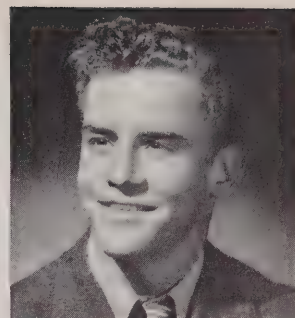
*A little mischief now and then is relished by the best of men*

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### Activities:

Glee Club, Senior Choir.

*Chev*



## L. SARGENT CLIFFORD

*Stately and tall*

Cliff returned to Beal High last year after securing a diploma from Worcester Boys' Trade School. With a liking for newspaper work, Sargent has developed into quite a news reporter. His studies and his quest for knowledge should insure him success at Worcester Junior College.

### Activities:

Spring Musical, Junior Red Cross Council, Athletic Association, Glee Club, International Friendship League, "Town Crier" Staff, Traffic Squad.

*Cliff*



## ROBERT COGHLIN

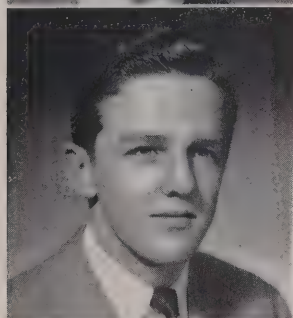
*Free and easy*

Everyone likes Bonny's happy-go-lucky manner and brilliant smile. His carefree way has been the envy of many a student. Bonny plans to go to Cushing Academy next year, but his eventual goal is Columbia University to study engineering.

### Activities:

Freshman Prize Sneaking, Junior Prom, Football, Traffic Squad, Yearbook Staff, Baseball, Hi-Y, Sophomore Hop, Camera Club, French Club, Athletic Association.

*Bonny*



## GEORGE CONCORDIA

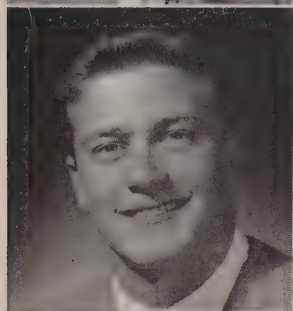
*A good man is always a good leader*

George is a diligent worker who excels in whatever he does. He is successful both on the football field and in the classroom. His capable leadership and his fine character should be valuable assets for the future.

### Activities:

Hi-Y (Vice-President), National Honor Society (President), Glee Club, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Sophomore Hop, Football (Co-Captain), Dramatic Club, Junior Prom, Traffic Squad, Class President, Snow Frolic, French Club, Pop Concert.

*Cal*



## ROBERT L. CRANDELL

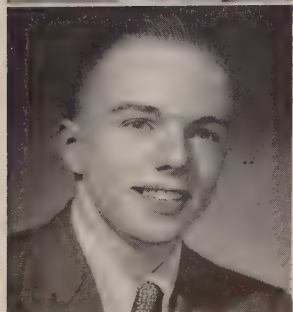
*The quiet accomplish much*

Bob, who is one of the quiet members of our class, has always been a conscientious worker. He hopes to attend Worcester Polytechnic Institute or the University of Delaware to study in the field of research chemistry.

### Activities:

Orchestra, Band, Athletic Association, French Club, Pop Concert, Spring Musical, National Honor Society.

*Bob*



## HUGO D'ALESSANDRO

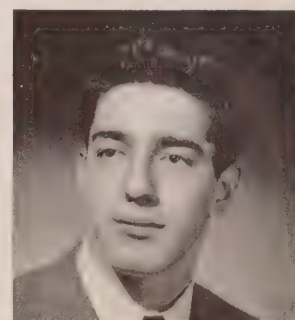
*Hail fellow, well met*

Need any help? Just call on Hugo, the right-hand man of the senior class. His good humor and willingness to help have contributed to the success of many a class function. Remember Santa Claus? Hugo's ambition is to own a huge hotel in Florida where he can spend his winters.

### Activities:

Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Traffic Squad, Athletic Association.

*Hug*







## ROY DANIELSON

*Noise isn't necessary for success*

*Roy*

Roy was the mainstay of the football squad and played a great game of basketball. The class envied Roy because of his trip to Sweden last summer. He intends to go into the florist business with his father.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Athletic Association, Baseball, Basketball, Football.

## MARY ANN DAVIS

*Quietness shall be my strength*

*Mary*

Mary is one of those timid young ladies who seek seclusion from the noise of a crowd. However, we know her true worth and we like her modest and cheerful disposition. She has chosen nursing as her life work and we know that one with her perseverance and cheerfulness must fare well.

### Activities:

Glee Club, French Club, Senior Choir, Spring Musical.



## MARY D'ERRICO

*Pert and Peppy*

*Mert*

Mert has a very catching laugh. If you happen to be around when she's giggling, it makes you feel like laughing with her. She has kept many a room lively with her witty remarks. With her wonderful personality and winning ways, she will always have many friends.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Pop Concert, Glee Club, Athletic Association, Sophomore Hop, Victory Dance, Senior Choir, Spring Musical, Yearbook Staff, "Town Crier" Staff.



## RUEL DUDLEY

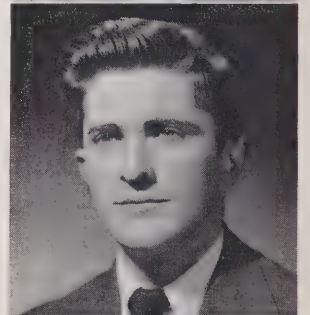
*A little mischief now and then is relished by the best of men*

*Dud*

You might think at first glance that Dud is very quiet and sober, but when you get to know him you realize that he is full of fun. Dud plans to go into office work, and we know that some office will be livelier because of his presence.

### Activities:

Glee Club, Athletic Association, Sophomore Hop, Pop Concert.



## RUSSELL L. EATON

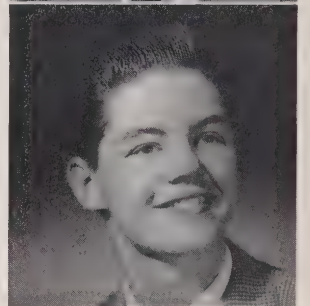
*In all his honors, grave and mellow, he truly is a pleasant fellow*

*Freezer*

If there is a job to be done, it's certain that Freezer will be right there to lend a helping hand. Whatever he undertakes, he does with a smile, never complaining. Russ has proved to be a very valuable member of the Crew.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Yearbook Staff, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, International Friendship League, Glee Club, Senior Choir, "Town Crier," Sadie Hawkins Dance, Athletic Association, Traffic Squad (Captain), Snow Frolic, Crew, Sophomore Social.



## WILLIAM T. ELLIOTT

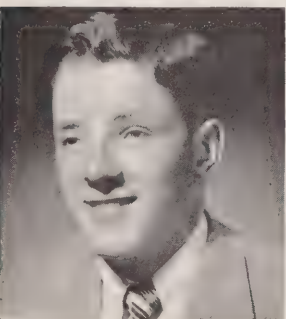
*The price of wisdom is above rubies*

*Wild Bill*

Powerhouse of the Crew—that's Wild Bill. Many a time he has given his all for that last quarter of a mile dash which means victory or defeat. What about the three watches, Bill? Worcester Tech will receive him next year, where he hopes to fulfill his ambition as a chemical engineer.

### Activities:

Crew, Athletic Association.



## JEAN ENGLISH

*Silence is golden*

Jean with her gay smile is everybody's friend. Although she is quiet, she is also very witty. She has kept many "English" classes alive with laughter. Good luck in your nursing career, Jean; we know you will make a wonderful nurse.

*Jeannie*



## BARBARA WINNIFRED FARR

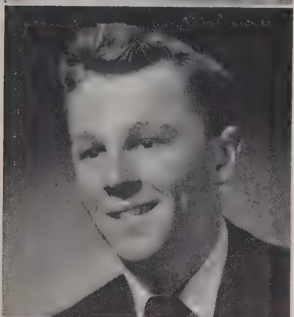
*Friendly, poised, and trimly dressed*

*Bobbie*

Bobbie is the girl whom women envy and men admire for her beautiful and stylish wardrobe and her air of poise and sophistication. Even school work could never upset her. For these reasons, Bobbie has been a welcome member of the class of '49.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Victory Dance, Pop Concert, Glee Club, "Town Crier," Traffic Squad, Sophomore Hop, Yearbook, International Friendship League, Senior Choir, Basketball, Athletic Association, Whist Party, Junior Prom, Spring Musical, Dramatic Club, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Snow Frolic, Sophomore Social.



## JOSEPH FLEMING

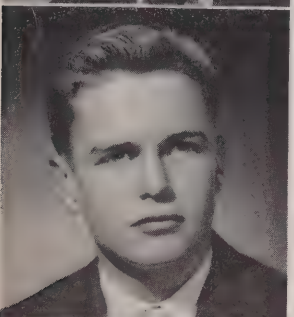
*A gentleman, if ever there was one*

*Joe*

That charming personality and intriguing smile of Joe's have caused many a feminine heart to flutter at his greeting. His prowess in all major sports is unforgettable. We know that with his poise and well-mannered ways success will not pass him by.

### Activities:

Hi-Y, Baseball, Senior Choir, Dramatic Club, Yearbook, Freshman Social, Athletic Association, Football, Student Council, Ski Team, Traffic Squad, Sophomore Hop, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Basketball, Glee Club, French Club, "Town Crier," Junior Prom, Snow Frolic.



## DANIEL FLYNN

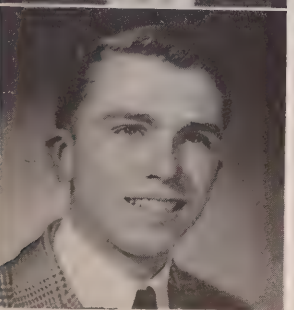
*Danny Boy*

*Danny*

Mischievous and cheerful are the words which describe our Danny. Never one for worry, he is always the life of the party. As a rider Danny is tops and perhaps some day we will see him as star of the "Rodeo." School and women prove to be the least of Danny's problems.

### Activities:

Class President, Freshman Prize Speaking, Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom.



## LAWRENCE FLYNN

*Why should life all labor be*

*Larry*

This is to introduce the "late" Mr. Flynn, who holds the record of being the "most latest" member of the class of '49. Nothing ever bothers Larry, and his easy-going ways have won him many friends. Wherever Larry plans to go in the future, we hope he gets there—on time.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Athletic Association, Sophomore Hop, Football, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Basketball.

## RICHARD FOLSOM

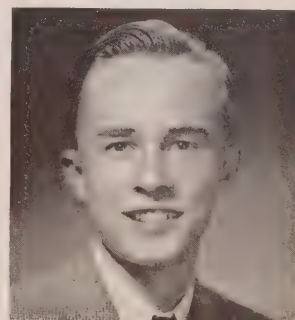
*Be silent and safe—silence never betrays you*

*Dick*

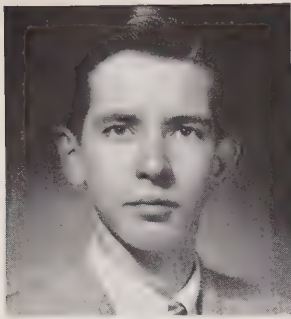
In the three years that we have known Dick, we have never known him to utter an unnecessary word. In fact, we have heard him utter few words, necessary or otherwise. Our spies tell us that Dick is very handy with a rifle and plans to enter New Hampshire School where he will take up forestry work.

### Activities:

Junior Prom.







## PHILLIP FORRISTER

Phil

*Busy hands get things done*

Science, sports, and radio magazines are forever found in Phil's hands. Hunting is one of his favorite sports. The animals he catches are used to help him further his skill as a taxidermist. Also any shop work that anyone needs done Phil will do in a jiffy. The television field may receive a versatile man some day.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Athletic Association.

## ANN GONYA

Annie

*Friendliness, poise, and a bit of a giggle*

Ann is one of the most talented girls in the senior class. She danced in the Pop Concert and her "Shine" performance in the Spring Musical was very successful. Ann has been accepted at the Barbizon School of Modeling, and we know she will make a very pretty model.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Junior Prize Speaking, Yearbook Staff, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, Class Vice-President, Dramatic Club, Cheerleading, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Camera Club, Softball, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Lambda Tau Sigma, Athletic Association, Snow Frolic, "Town Crier" Staff, Prize Speaking.

## MARGERY GOODELL

Midge

*Carefree and gay, she goes her way*

Nothing ruffles Midge, with her carefree and lighthearted ways. Wherever there is chatter and laughter you can be sure Midge is in the midst of it all. She has been a friend to us all and we shall not hesitate to acknowledge our appreciation. All the success in the world will be hers when she enters the field of nursing.

### Activities:

Class Treasurer, Athletic Association, Glee Club, Senior Choir, "Town Crier," Hockey (Manager), Sophomore Hop, Sophomore Social, Snow Frolic, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Freshman Social, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Junior Prize Speaking, Basketball (Assistant Manager), Whist Party, Usher at Graduation, Dramatic Club, International Friendship League, Pop Concert, Traffic Squad, Band.

## JOHN GRANDE

Chicken

*I'll have my say*

Whenever you hear a deep bass "call of the wild," you know that's Chick. He's been a member of our class for three years now and his sense of humor has been quite evident. His ability as a member of the football squad and his willingness to help others have made him well liked by all.

### Activities:

Football, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Sophomore Hop, Spring Musical, Athletic Association.

## GERALD GRANGER

Greg

*The world is left to me*

We'll remember Greg as one of the captains of our basketball team. His popularity is not limited to sports alone, however. Another interest of Greg's is golf. We're not sure whether he will own a private course, but his Irish spirit should make him a success in his undertakings.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Spring Musical, Sophomore Hop, Pop Concert, Glee Club, Baseball, Basketball, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Hi-Y, French Club, Snow Frolic, Athletic Association.



## LOIS ANN HAGERSTROM

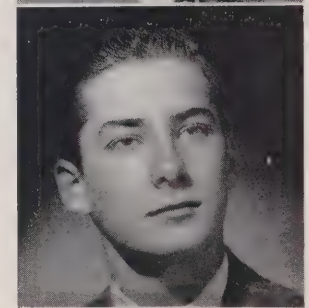
Lo

*Her friends, there are many;  
Her foes—are there any?*

Lo is always ready to lend a helping hand. Her ability to take responsibility has been aptly shown by the good work she did on so many committees. We feel sure Lo will lose some of her shyness when she gets into the business world.

### Activities:

Glee Club, Athletic Association, Spring Musical, Junior Prom, Snow Frolic, "Town Crier," Pop Concert, Yearbook Staff, Sophomore Hop, Victory Dance, Freshman Social.



## NORMAN M. HALL

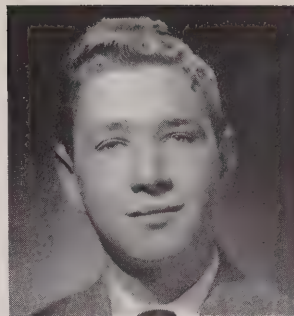
*Success comes with intelligence and a willingness to take chances*

Demo's scientific mind has conceived many a fiendish plan and his English themes have provided many amusing moments. No one, including Demo, knows exactly what his plans are, but we'll bet they're original.

### Activities:

Football, Basketball, Glee Club, Senior Choir, "Town Crier" Staff, Athletic Association, Pop Concert, Spring Frolic.

*Demo*



## THOMAS HAYS

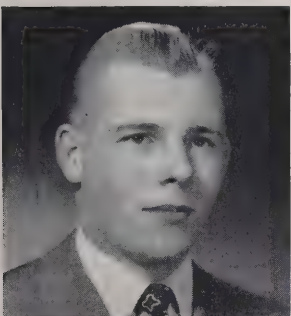
*My fickle eye*

*Tommy*

His little gray car bouncing merrily along is as typical and carefree as Tommy himself. He came to Shrewsbury High School in our junior year. Tommy has become popular among the fellows as well as the fairer sex for his jocular ways despite his convincing exaggeration.

### Activities:

Hi-Y, Baseball, Football, Basketball.



## MARION HENLEY

*Of gentle vein—a presence amiable*

*Marion*

Marion's the gal who manages to stay on the honor roll. She tends to business during school, but after hours and during summers in Maine we find an entirely different person—skiing, walking, visiting, sailing, and full of fun. In this girl is a dual personality—both sides unexcelled. Marion is one who can adjust her manner to the time and place.

### Activities:

Junior Prom, Yearbook Staff, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, Glee Club, "Town Crier," Orchestra, Band, Senior Choir, Lambda Tau Sigma, Athletic Association, Snow Frolic, Hockey, Traffic Squad, National Honor Society.



## JEANNE MARIE HOLMES

*My sister can—so can I*

*Jeanne*

This dark-haired senior always wears something new that she has "whipped up overnight." She usually has her nose in a book, using every spare minute to read. Jeanne hopes to enter Southeastern University, Louisiana, next year to study languages and music.

### Activities:

Glee Club, French Club, Hockey Squad, Freshman Social Committee, Senior Choir, Sophomore Hop, Pop Concert, Dramatic Club, Junior Snow Frolic, Basketball Squad, Band, Spring Musical, Freshman Prize Speaking, Yearbook Staff, International Friendship League.



## NANCY LORRAINE HORNE

*Be still, thou noisy one*

*Nan*

Nancy, one of our more reserved members, glides around school swiftly and softly. Her abilities as an artist and typist have done much to brighten the pages of our "Town Crier." Nancy will soon be an able secretary.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, French Club, Glee Club, "Town Crier," Victory Dance, Yearbook Committee, Athletic Association, International Friendship League, Pop Concert, Spring Musical.



## KENNETH HULTQUIST

*Beware the fury of a patient man*

*Ken*

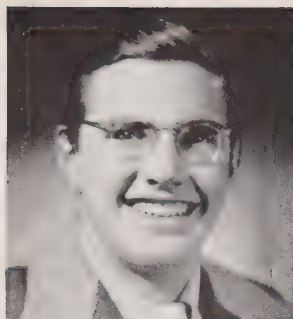
Ken has a laugh that can be heard around the room like the shot heard round the world. Foreign friends are his, for he has been a member of the International Friendship League for three years. Ken plans to attend the Rhode Island School of Design, majoring in art and designing.

### Activities:

French Club, Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Snow Frolic, Victory Dance, Sophomore Movie, Sophomore Social, International Friendship League, Dr. Knudsen Foreign Correspondence, Athletic Association.







## CHESTER IRELAND

*Silence is virtue*

*Chet*

Chester has added his tenor voice to the Senior Choir, and he also has added his physique to the football squad. He may be one of our silent boys, but wherever there is activity, there is Chet.

### Activities:

Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Sophomore Hop, Snow Frolic, Pop Concert, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Football.

## BEVERLY JANSON

*A maiden friendly and self-possessed;  
Attractive, poised, and trimly dressed*

*Bev*

One of our energetic and activity-minded classmates is our Bev. In addition to being secretary of two sororities and chairman of Junior Red Cross Council, she finds time to participate in sports. Her long discussions and complicated questions fill us with awe and interest. Bev's immediate future may be Colby Junior College.

### Activities:

Sophomore Hop, Yearbook Staff, National Honor Society, International Friendship League (Vice-President), "Town Crier," Softball, Hockey (Co-Captain), Junior Red Cross Council (Chairman), Student Council, Traffic Squad (Captain), Lambda Tau Sigma (Secretary), French Club (Secretary), Athletic Association, Military Whist Party.

## ROBERT JEWERS

*A tall gentleman of stature and wisdom*

*Bob*

Bob's first love is debating with anybody on any subject. This has been proved by his active part in the Debating Club. Band and orchestra claim his talents, too. However, Bob's future lies in the field of electrical engineering.

### Activities:

Snow Frolic, Junior Prom, Crew, Debating Club, French Club, National Forensic League (Vice-President), Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Sophomore Social, Band, Orchestra, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Victory Dance, Memorial Day Exercises, American Legion Contest, Yearbook Staff, Dramatic Club, Atom Bomb Forum, Movie, Athletic Association, International Friendship League.

## DAVID JOHNSON

*You've gotta stay happy*

*Dave*

David is the jolly laugh in Room 5. He will always be remembered for his good sense of humor and his wonderful disposition. Although Dave may seem quiet when among strangers, he livens up the party when he really gets going. Never lose your fun, David, and you will have success.

### Activities:

Senior Choir, Athletic Association, Junior Prom, Snow Frolic, Camera Club.

## DONALD HENRY JOHNSON

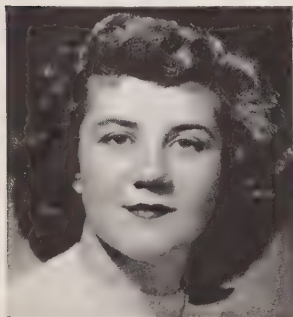
*Curly hair charms the women*

*Don*

What would Ward Hill be like without Don darting in and out on his skis? He is the mainstay of the Shrewsbury Ski Team and excels in golf, too. We hope his friendly smile and easy-going manner will help him to enter Dartmouth or Middlebury in the future.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Snow Frolic, Junior Prom, Glee Club, Victory Dance, Senior Choir, Baseball, Ski Team, Golf Team, Athletic Association, Pop Concert, Spring Musical, Sophomore Social.



## ELISE JOHNSON

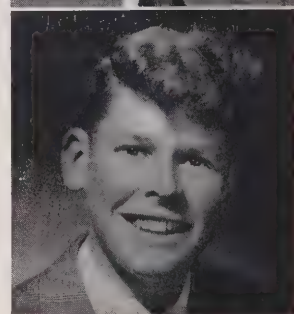
*Personality plus*

*Mona*

Whenever you hear chatter, rest assured Mona is right in the middle of it. She's a regular girl and her charming personality has won her many friends at Shrewsbury High. She really can be serious at times, although it seems impossible. We know she will be successful in whatever she undertakes.

### Activities:

Yearbook Staff, Glee Club, Softball, Lambda Tau Sigma, Freshman Social (Chairman); Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Student Council, Senior Choir, Sadie Hawkins Dance, "Town Crier," Pop Concert, Spring Musical, Snow Frolic, Athletic Association, Christmas Ball.



## FRANCIS JOSLYN

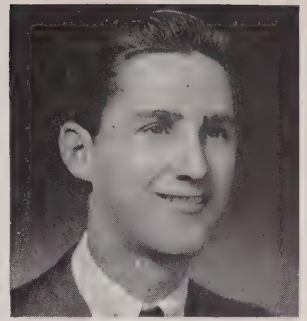
*Fran*

*A little bit independent*

Fran supports the trombone section of the orchestra and he's an excellent player. You never heard much from Fran, but he's always available and willing to help someone. His ambition is to be a jeweler. This is sure to bring him success in the future.

### Activities:

Orchestra, Band, Junior Prom, Football, Snow Frolic.



## JAMES JOUBERT

*Jim*

*A jolly sport is he*

Jim has his serious moments. An excellent disposition has helped to win him many friends. As yet, his plans for the future are indefinite; but wherever he may go the good wishes of the class of '49 go with him.

### Activities:

Junior Prom, Senior Choir, Snow Frolic, Spring Musical, Football, Glee Club, Baseball.



## PAUL R. JOUBERT

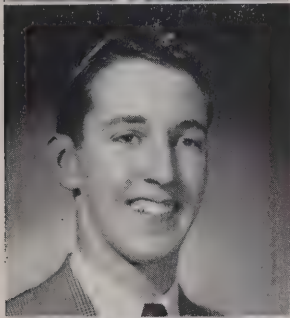
*Frog*

*Let a smile be your umbrella*

A laugh and then some remark between notes from his trumpet are certainly typical of Paul in orchestra. What would Room 12 be like without a joke from Frog! Keep in tune, Paul, and you'll always be as well liked as you are now.

### Activities:

Hi-Y, Band, Sophomore Social (Chairman), Junior Prom Usher, Orchestra, Athletic Association, Pop Concert, Glee Club, Snow Frolic, Senior Choir, Spring Musical.



## ETHEL KELMAN

*Dolly*

*Serious and well-behaved, never any trouble gave*

Quiet, shy, and reserved are appropriate adjectives for Ethel's disposition. She is a good worker, both in and out of school, and hopes to extend her efforts at the Telegram and Gazette office after graduation.

### Activities:

French Club, Glee Club, "Town Crier," Debating Club, International Friendship League, Dramatic Club.



## HOWARD KESSELI

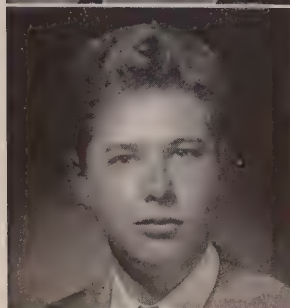
*Sonny*

*Curly hair, rosy cheeks, eyes of blue*

What would our yearbook have done without Howard going around hounding seniors for ads. His curly hair, no doubt, has been the envy of many a girl. Success will always be yours, Howard, by developing your pleasing personality and clever remarks.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, International Friendship League, Yearbook, Glee Club, Athletic Association, Junior Prom, Camera Club, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Spring Musical, Sophomore Hop.



## JOHN FRANKLIN KNIPE

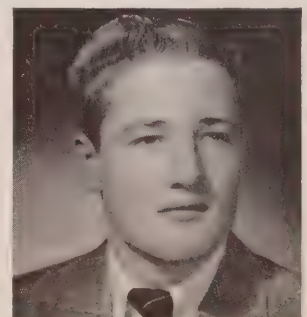
*Giggie*

*A merry heart has he*

Our class would have been dull without the cheerful spirit and witty remarks of Giggie. He is a loyal and untiring worker for every school function. With his bright outlook on life he can't help but be a success in whatever field he chooses.

### Activities:

Football, Junior Prom, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Freshman Social, Spring Musical, Snow Frolic, Sophomore Hop, Glee Club, Athletic Association.







## BEVERLY JEAN LUNDGREN

Bev

*The best way not to fail is to be determined to succeed*

Bev has been proficient in her studies and in her school activities. She plans to enter Colby Junior College in the fall and eventually to be an airline hostess.

### Activities:

National Forensic League, National Honor Society, Yearbook Staff, Athletic Association, Dramatic Club, Senior Choir, French Club, Freshman Social, "Town Crier," Freshman Prize Speaking, Spring Musical, Lambda Tau Sigma, Snow Frolic, Sophomore Hop, Glee Club.

## CAMELLA MAENZO

Melly

*Success comes to those who work for it*

Melly is the girl with the personality and friends. She is one of the outstanding members of our class as is evidenced by her membership in the National Honor Society. She plans to be a secretary. Watch out for those good looking bosses, Melly!

### Activities:

Student Council, National Honor Society, Glee Club, Traffic Squad, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Yearbook Staff, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, "Town Crier" Staff, Usher at Graduation, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Athletic Association, Snow Frolic.



## VINCENT MASTRO

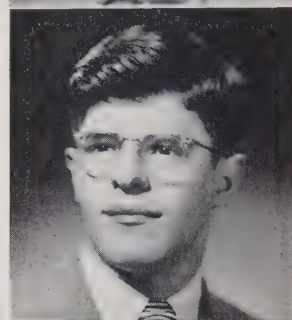
Vinnie

*Sincerity leads to the top*

Vinnie has won many friends with his easy-going ways and his efforts to help others. If you want to see him blush, ask him about his experiences in Room 5 during his junior year. His future is undecided, but we know that he would make an excellent manager of a store.

### Activities:

Athletic Association, Military Whist, Junior Prom, Movie.



## NORMA RUTH MATHIESON

Cuddles

*There's mischief in her eyes*

A pleasant disposition, a quick retort, and a happy-go-lucky nature offset by a predominant talent for involving herself in difficulties—that's Norma. The Bell Telephone Company will be glad to claim such a cheerful person as one of its employees.

### Activities:

Senior Choir, Victory Dance, Yearbook Staff, "Town Crier," Glee Club, Camera Club, Athletic Association, Pop Concert, Junior Prom, Sophomore Hop, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Spring Musical.



## BEVERLY ANN MOORE

Bev

*Her smile speaks volumes that she doesn't say*

Bev has a smile which makes a rainy day sunny. She has been busy in school work and also in outside activities. After graduation she will major in dramatics, at Emerson.

### Activities:

Junior Prize Speaking, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, International Friendship League, Dramatic Club, Glee Club, Basketball, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Junior Red Cross Council, Student Council, Band, French Club, Athletic Association, Softball, Sophomore Social, Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, "Town Crier."



## LORETTA MORELLE

Lorett

*Nothing is difficult when you set your mind to it*

The artist of the class, that's our Loretta. Loretta has contributed many drawings to the school paper and plans to continue in either commercial art or office work. Whichever she chooses, she will be successful.

### Activities:

"Town Crier," Yearbook Staff.

## DAVID MORGAN

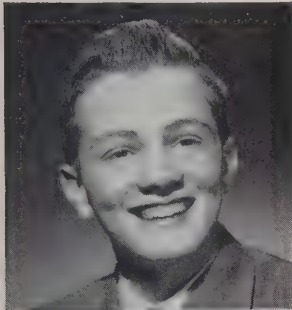
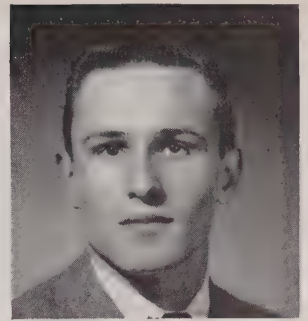
*Carefree and full of fun*

*Hawk*

As president of the senior class, Dave has done wonderful work in a friendly and willing manner. As a football player, he is really a whiz, too. It's the Marines for him after graduation. Can't you just see him now, girls?

### Activities:

Class President, Glee Club, Athletic Association, International Friendship League, Freshman Social, Student Council, Hi-Y, Football, Yearbook Staff, Sophomore Hop, Senior Choir, Baseball, Victory Dance, Military Whist, Spring Musical, Snow Frolic.



## ANDREW MORGO

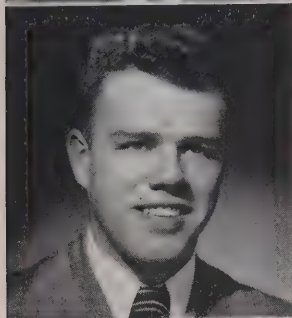
*A merry heart has he*

*Andy*

For many of us our high school days would have been more dull if it hadn't been for Andy's sparkling eyes and mischievous pranks. He has gone through his four years having a good time and studying just enough to keep his marks at a comfortable level. His heart is as large as the universe, and Andy will never be forgotten by those who know him for the wonderful fellow he is.

### Activities:

Hi-Y, Yearbook, Victory Dance, Junior Prom, Sadie Hawkins, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Athletic Association, Spring Musical, Snow Frolic.



## CHARLES HUGH MORISON

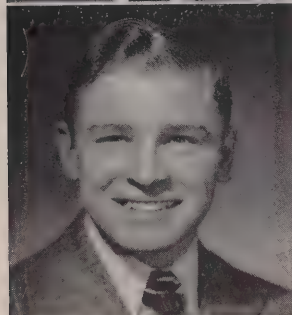
*He's never haughty, never proud, but popular in every crowd*

*Charlie*

Charlie's charm, winning smile, and pleasing manner have all contributed to his popularity. At present he is interested in the Navy, which he plans to enter as soon as possible.

### Activities:

Hi-Y (President), Football, Debating Club, Junior Prom, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Camera Club, Athletic Association.



## WALTER MORRISSEY

*Quiet, friendly, likeable*

*Joe*

Joe is one of the quieter members of our class, but his deep voice can be heard in the problems of democracy class discussions. He plans to attend Columbia University. Ah! a future football coach, no doubt?

### Activities:

Yearbook, Glee Club, Football, Baseball, Senior Choir, Athletic Association, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Spring Musical, Snow Frolic.



## ALVAR NELSON

*One of Scandinavia's fair sons*

*Whitey*

A tall, blond lad, that's Whitey. Many a female has wished for just such blond hair. Whitey is the "sparkplug" for the A. & P. Tea Company after school. He plans to attend a technical college to study engineering.

### Activities:

Hi-Y (Secretary), Snow Frolic, Junior Prom, French Club, Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Victory Dance, Yearbook, Athletic Association, Movie.

## RONALD NELSON

*Happy am I; from care I am free*

*Hoofa*

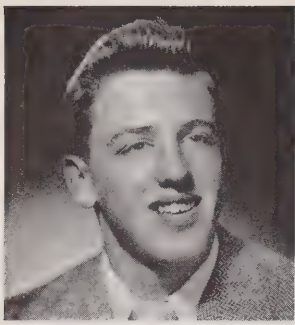
We are all envious of Hoofa, who seldom takes a book home. How he does it is his own secret! Crew has benefited from his mighty build and strength. The future is undecided for Hoofa, but whatever it holds we know he will find success.

### Activities:

Crew, Freshman Social, Junior Prom, Pop Concert, Spring Musical, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Athletic Association, Snow Frolic.







## ROBERT OLSON

*Happiness comes from being witty*

*Olie*

Wherever there's confusion, there's Olie. Never a dull moment when he's around. He has shown his wonderful school spirit as a member of the crew and in football. If you want to see him get red, ask him what happened at the Millbury game. He plans to attend Sanborn Prep School.

### Activities:

Hi-Y, French Club, Football, Freshman Social, Crew, Basketball, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Athletic Association, Victory Dance.

## BARBARA O'MARRAH

*Small, smiley, and full of fun*

*Barb*

A laugh, a pun, youthful gaiety—Barb's here! It is not often that we find a girl so full of fun as Barb. It is this quality as well as her personality and disposition that has gained for her so many friends. Barb is uncertain what her career will be.

### Activities:

Glee Club, "Town Crier," Athletic Association, Pop Concert, Usher at Graduation, Yearbook Staff, Junior Prom, Spring Musical, Sophomore Hop, Snow Frolic, Sadie Hawkins Dance, International Friendship League, Dramatic Club.



## SHIRLEY O'MARRAH

*A heart of gold and a friend to all*

*Shirl*

Shirl's friendliness and willingness to help others makes her liked by all. She doesn't count the hours when there's work to be done as has been shown by her assistance in our class activities. She plans to take up hairdressing.

### Activities:

Junior Prom, Athletic Association, Spring Musical, Victory Dance, Dramatics, Snow Frolic, Usher at Graduation, Yearbook Staff, Lambda Tau Sigma, Glee Club, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Pop Concert, Sophomore Hop.



## DOROTHY PARK

*Vim, vigor, vitality*

*Sparkie*

Sparkie is peppy, full of fun, and always ready with a smile. Personality and pep are rolled into one; maybe that's why she's so popular with everyone. Sparkie plans to do office work when she leaves Shrewsbury High.

### Activities:

Glee Club, Softball, Snow Frolic, Victory Dance, Freshman Social, Senior Choir, Sadie Hawkins, Pop Concert, Spring Musical, Red Cross Council, Sophomore Hop, Yearbook, Athletic Association.



## MARY LOUISE PARSONS

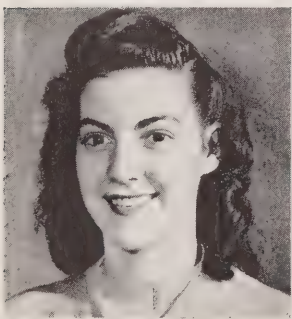
*I'm sure care's an enemy to life*

*Lou*

Mary Lou is one of those lucky people who live near the center of knowledge and activity. Mary Lou is undecided about her future; but, as the third Parsons from Beal, we know she will make good as her sisters have.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Yearbook Staff, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, International Friendship League, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Dramatic Club, Basketball, Softball, Sadie Hawkins Dance, French Club, Usher at Class Day, Snow Frolic, Sophomore Social, Athletic Association.



## PAULINA PETERS

*Pleasing to talk with, pleasing to walk with*

*Paulie*

Paulie has been laboring under one of the severest handicaps possible—coming into a strange school in her senior year. In the short time since her entrance in February, we have known her long enough to know that we would like to know her better. She has acquired many friends with her pleasant disposition.

## WARREN MICHAEL QUIRK

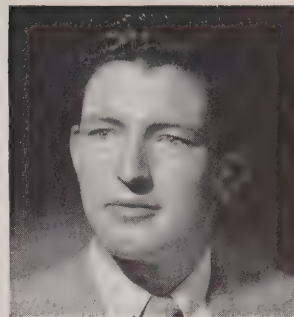
Mike

*When Irish eyes are smiling*

Although a newcomer from St. John's, Mike has made a host of friends this year. His ability in leadership was proved by his excellent job of managing the football team. Mike isn't sure yet about the future, but we wish him success in whatever work he undertakes.

### Activities:

Football (Manager), Victory Dance, Baseball.



## THERESA SCHIAVONE

Terry

*It's nice to be natural when you are naturally nice*

Terry's pleasing way, friendly smile, and quick wit have won her many friends. She's always ready with a helping hand and willing to listen to your troubles. Terry plans to do office work when she leaves Beal High.

### Activities:

Glee Club, Junior Prom, Pop Concert, Spring Musical, Softball, Usher at Graduation, Athletic Association, Snow Frolic, Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Victory Dance, International Friendship League.



## PHYLLIS ELAINE SENCABAUGH

Phyl

*Ambition leads to success*

Ever smiling, ever chatting animatedly, Phyl has brightened many a day for those about her and has made many a conquest. Even in a whirlwind of extra-curricular activities, Phyl has always maintained a high scholastic standing.

### Activities:

Traffic Squad, Usher at Graduation, Student Council, Sophomore Hop, National Forensic League, Junior Prom, Whist Party, Athletic Association, Valentine Dance, Junior Prize Speaking, Dramatic Club, French Club, Snow Frolic, Freshman Social, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, International Friendship League, Debating Club, Camera Club, Orchestra, Glee Club, "Town Crier," Senior Choir, Sadie Hawkins Dance.



## HARRY H. SHEPARD

Shep

*To sleep—to dream*

Shep was always in the thickest part of the "battle," be it football, crew, or just school work. Which was the toughest? That's up to Shep to answer. He plans to attend Cushing Academy and major in business administration.

### Activities:

Football, Crew, Hi-Y, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Sophomore Hop, Freshman Social, Athletic Association, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Snow Frolic.



## ANGELINA SIMONE

Lee

*All the world loves a smile*

Lena is a very quiet girl, but not so quiet when you get to know her. We found that out in math class. Wherever there was noise, you'd find Lena in the middle of it. Her witty remarks have won her many friends at Shrewsbury High.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Spring Musical, Senior Choir, Traffic Squad, Freshman Prize Speaking, Pop Concert, "Town Crier," Softball, Sophomore Hop, Glee Club, Sadie Hawkins Dance.

## BARBARA SMITH

Smitty

*A smiling face brings joy to all*

Big blue eyes, smiling face, always gay—that's our Smitty. She is always ready and willing to lend a helping hand whenever it is needed, joining in many school activities. She's an all-around sport and wonderful friend to have.

### Activities:

Softball, Glee Club, Snow Frolic, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Victory Dance, Senior Choir, Pop Concert, Spring Musical, Freshman Social, "Town Crier," Sophomore Hop, Yearbook, Athletic Association, Junior Prom, Freshman Prize Speaking, Dramatic Club.







## IRENE RUTH SMITH

*The thing that goes the farthest toward making life worthwhile—  
is just a pleasant smile*

*Irene*

Quiet enough in school, but most active outside—that's Irene. A hen party is never dull with her around, as she always adds her bit to pep up anything. Irene intends to attend the University of New Hampshire.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Pop Concert, International Friendship League, Glee Club, Senior Choir, "Town Crier," Basketball, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Traffic Squad, Lambda Tau Sigma, French Club, Athletic Association, Snow Frolic, Whist Party.

## NANCY C. STEVENS

*If friends be credit, she has much gain*

*Stevie*

Sparkling with vivacity and bubbling over with good humor, that's Stevie. Her friendly nature is well known among her schoolmates. A certain Merchant Marine has also fallen under the spell of her winning personality.

### Activities:

French Club, Freshman Social, Junior Prom, Sophomore Hop, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Yearbook Staff, Sophomore Movie, Snow Frolic, Sophomore Social, International Friendship League, "Town Crier," Athletic Association, Pop Concert, Spring Musical, Basketball, Glee Club, Senior Choir, Debating Club, Junior Prize Speaking.



## ELMER FRANK STONEBACK

*Give thy thoughts no tongue*

*Stoney*

Stoney is the quiet type in school, but we've heard differently concerning his after-school activities. He plans to enter the field of aviation. Smooth flying in the future, Stoney!

### Activities:

Senior Choir, Athletic Association.



## JOAN THAYER

*Knowledge is power*

*Jo*

Jo is the gal who can whip through anything from a trig problem to an accordion solo. Don't be fooled by all her books. When there is something funny, nobody can (or wants to) stop her from giggling. It's amazing how Jo can do so much. We hear that she intends to give lessons on the accordion.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Junior Prom, Athletic Association, Basketball, Band, Pop Concert, Military Whist, Yearbook Staff, International Friendship League, Student Council, National Honor Society (Treasurer), Sophomore Hop, Snow Frolic, Glee Club, Hockey, Orchestra, Spring Musical, Traffic Squad, Sadie Hawkins Dance.

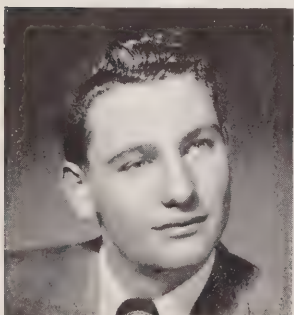


## DOUGLAS TRUE

*The day is short; the work is much*

*Doug*

Doug never has much to say and is considered quite bashful. Why haven't we heard more about your ability on the soccer team? Doug has always been interested in some phase of agriculture and plans to enter Amherst to study farm machinery.



## RICHARD VINTON

*Free and easy*

*Vint*

Vint's easy-going manner and slow grin have caused many a feminine heart to flutter. He is one of the best dancers in our class. Vint plans to study forestry.

### Activities:

Athletic Association, Senior Choir, Basketball, Football, Sophomore Hop, Glee Club, Baseball, Victory Dance, Hi-Y.

## JEAN CAROLYN WALLSTEN

Jeannie

*Beauty strikes the sight, and merit wins the soul*

Jeannie, our class secretary, has a pair of big blue eyes, a sweet smile, and an amiable disposition. As a student and an athlete, she has been an asset to our class, having that rare and envied combination of "beauty plus brains." Ask her many male admirers.

### Activities:

Sophomore Hop, Junior Prom, Victory Dance, Yearbook Staff, Spring Musical, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Traffic Squad, Movie, Sophomore Social, Pop Concert, National Honor Society, Class Secretary, Dramatic Club, Glee Club (Treasurer), French Club, Usher at Graduation, Military Whist, Senior Choir, Camera Club, "Town Crier," Basketball, Hockey, Athletic Association, Snow Frolic.



## JOANNE ELIZABETH WHITE

Jo

*I chatter, chatter as I go*

That giggle you hear probably belongs to Jo. She keeps the class in stitches long after the joke is forgotten. She appears to be quiet, but looks are deceiving. The best of everything, Jo, in your hairdressing work.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Pop Concert, Athletic Association, Glee Club, Basketball, International Friendship League, Spring Musical, "Town Crier," French Club, Sophomore Hop, Sadie Hawkins Dance.



## DORIS ANN WHITNEY

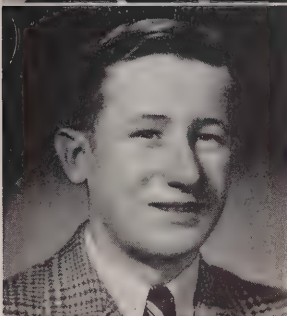
Dorie

*Not that I like study less,  
But that I like fun more*

When there's a crowd of people, Dorie is always in the middle. If popularity is the road to success, she's well along the way. Dorie never fails to bring humor into the duller moments. We have her to thank for the wonderful job the cheerleaders have done this year.

### Activities:

Hockey, Cheerleader, Sophomore Social, Junior Prom, Pop Concert, Glee Club, Camera Club, Traffic Squad, Snow Frolic, National Forensic League, Junior Prize Speaking, Freshman Prize Speaking, Lambda Tau Sigma (Treasurer) (President), International Friendship League, Basketball (Manager), Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Spring Musical, Dramatic Club, Senior Choir, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Athletic Association, Girl's State.



## JOHN WICKLUND

Johnny

*Give every man thy ear, but few thy voice*

That fellow sitting over there silently, just listening, is Johnny. We hear from his friends at Edgemere, however, that he has some strong convictions. Johnny's plans are incomplete as yet, but we know whatever they may be, he'll go quietly sailing through.

### Activities:

Senior Choir.



## ALICE IRMA WOOD

Woodsy

*A friend in need is a friend indeed*

Woodsy is well known in the commercial department. Traveling around Room 6 and running those baffling machines, she has certainly kept many of us wondering. Woodsy has a greeting for everyone. Her unexpected remarks have sent many a class into an uproar.

### Activities:

Freshman Social, Junior Prom, Yearbook Staff, Pop Concert, Senior Choir, "Town Crier," Snow Frolic, Sadie Hawkins Dance, Sophomore Hop, Victory Dance, Spring Musical, Glee Club, Camera Club, Athletic Association.

## MARRIANE VERONICA ZENIS

Zennie

*Pretty, peppy, popular*

Zennie is the cute lass who buzzes around school with a million things to do, including duties of editor-in-chief of the Yearbook and the "Town Crier." Many a pair of male eyes has watched her. Becker Junior College, here comes our Zennie!

### Activities:

Senior Choir, Snow Frolic, Freshman Social, Sophomore Hop, Military Whist, Spring Musical, Class Secretary, Class Vice-President, Lambda Tau Sigma (Vice-President), Yearbook (Editor-in-Chief), "Town Crier," (Business Manager) (Editor-in-Chief), Sadie Hawkins Dance, Glee Club, Junior Prom, Sophomore Social, Victory Dance, Athletic Association, Pop Concert, Traffic Squad, National Honor Society.





## JOHN HURD

*Johnny*

*Wit to persuade, and charm to delight*

John has joined us at Beal High this year as a senior. We don't know him too well, but what we do know about him we like—his friendliness, his wit, and his quick repartee. He has gained a host of friends, not all of the stronger sex.

## *Former Classmates*

Alan Anderson  
Daniel Casavant  
Lloyd Chamberlain  
David Cote  
Wayne Daniels  
Ronald Fisher  
Nancy Ford  
Nancy Jackson  
Dorothy Keegan  
Philip Keegan  
Craig Little  
William Mawdsley  
Joan Morton  
Richard Peloquin  
Lee Shortt  
Paul Southworth  
Eleanor Taylor  
Bruce Townsend  
Nickolena Trotto  
Albert Worden  
David Wright

## *Class Motto*

*The Peace of the World, Our Goal*  
*Pax Mundi, Meta Nostra*

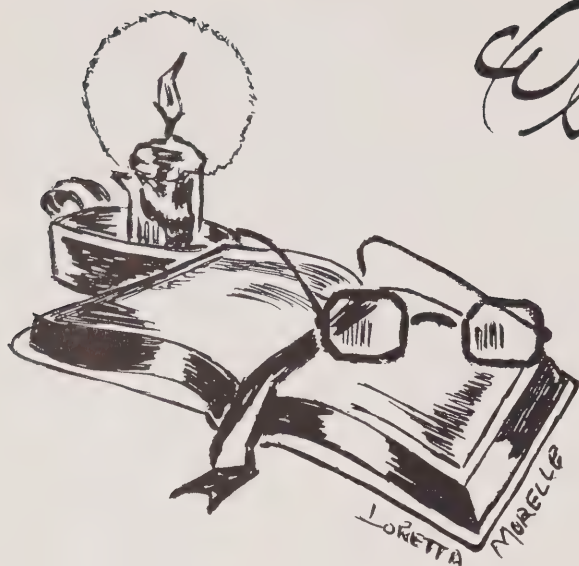
## *Class Colors*

*Maroon and Grey*

## *Class Flower*

*Carnation*





# Class History

On an evening marked by the furious lashings of a gale, I placed myself on a divan before a crackling blaze in my fireplace. The room was completely dark except for the light thrown from the blazing logs. As I fell asleep, I went with the feeling of one who is about to view untold wonders. Dancing shadows on the wall seemed to become blurred, and the fire vanished into nothingness. Soon I was in the fool's paradise of the dreamer. Generally, in such blissful slumbers, one sees enchanted places and bewitching people, encountering delightful events. My dream proved to be no exception.

I was transported to a wistful land called "Memory"—a land divided into two sections, "Happy" and "Unhappy." Turning to "Happy Memory," I was astonished to see a colossal stage above which were the words "The Constellation of 1949." On the stage, in which time and space were small affairs, the great drama of Nineteen Hundred and Forty-Nine began to unfold itself, thus:

In the fall of 1945, there came to Beal High's spacious halls a group of people, who, as yet, had not passed the stage of childhood innocence, but who, in a short time, were to become greatly experienced in the ways of the

new world and of Beal High in particular. Having just left their various "little red schoolhouses," they were struck with awe at the mighty appearance of their new alma mater.

After a hearty welcome had been given them by students and faculty alike, they gradually settled down to the routine of high-school freshman life.

They learned to endure the marathon climbs to their rooms each morning; they were taught to suffer the mild sarcasm of the faculty, "Don't study so hard or you may develop brain fever;" and they bore with vexation the jibes of their sophomore friends for taking home any books.

They were off to a good start their first year. For their class officers they elected president, Danny Flynn; vice-president, Joan Morton; secretary, Marriane Zenis; and treasurer, Martha Beck. So that they might know each other better, the Freshman Social was held. In the light of their newly found seriousness, the annual Freshman Prize Speaking Contest was held with Doris Whitney, Joan Morton and Richard Antoun taking the honors. After that the year passed rather uneventfully.

The word "sophomore," when divided into two parts, reveals the Greek word "sophos" meaning wise, and the word "morose" meaning foolish. This name was never so well placed as it was on that group of sophomores. In that fall of '46 they were joined by another group of students, who hailed from Coolidge Junior High School. A Sophomore Social was enjoyed so that they could become acquainted. Then followed class elections with George Concordia, Beverly Janson, Marriane Zenis, and Margery Goodell elected as officers. As yet, the duties of these officers were rather light. It was at this time that they plunged into their first real money-making venture, the Sophomore Hop. The affair was held in Nee Hall amid balloons, streamers, pictures of fat ladies and clowns to lend an atmosphere of a circus to it all. Although the returns were financially rather small, socially the dance was an immense success.

September rolled around again and this time they were enthusiastic juniors. Once again they found themselves at the polls for elections. For their president they re-elected George Concordia; Ann Gonya became their vice-president; Marriane Zenis, secretary, and Midge Goodell, treasurer.

The "Sadie Hawkins" dance started things buzzing again. As this was leap year the girls asked the boys, called for them, furnished original corsages, and took them home afterwards. A gay and hilarious time was had by all.

In May, the Junior Prize Speaking Contest was held and Margery Goodell succeeded in winning first prize with Richard Antoun and Doris Whitney second and third.

June ninth, 1948, was the night the juniors were anticipating—the night of their Junior Prom! The hall was turned into an old-fashioned garden with flowers galore. Nancy Stevens was chosen Queen of the Prom. And now the junior year had drawn to a close.

Vacation over, our young hopefuls returned to Beal High to find themselves seniors! The officers to guide them in their final quarter toward graduation were David Morgan, Marriane Zenis, Jean Wallsten, and Midge Goodell. To start this year off, the annual Victory Dance was held with music furnished by Bruce Choate. As always, the dance was very successful.

On December 10, a Whist Party was held in Nee Hall. Unintentionally, a member of the class won first prize. The winning table was played by Joan Thayer, Phyllis Sencabaugh, Bud Hall, and George Concordia.

At Christmas time the Senior Choir presented a Choral Cantata. Aiding them was the Freshman Choir and the Dramatic Club.

Their trip to Washington and New York was one of the most unforgettable events of their high school career. Among the places they visited were the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Smithsonian Institute, Mellon Art Gallery, Mount Vernon, and Arlington Cemetery. However, the biggest "splash" of the trip was the evening spent at the swimming pool in the Ambassador Hotel. No casualties as a result of this hilarious experience were recorded.

Class Day, a day strictly for laughs, is here. It is our last chance to share jokes with all classmates and friends.

The scene now shifts to Graduation Day. Amid full-hearted farewells, the great curtain begins to drop. Suddenly it bursts into the flame of the crackling logs in the fireplace. The dream has vanished, and a heavy sigh of wistfulness came over me as I realized that one of the most noteworthy of Beal High's groups had passed into the realm of memory.

Nancy Stevens  
Margery Goodell



# Class Prophecy

The night is dark, dreary, and moonless, as Bev and I make our way down the narrow, deserted alley. We are headed for Madame Maragha's apartment in the basement of the dingy oriental hotel at the end of the alley. The air becomes foul, the dust thicker, the road narrower as we approach her hovel. Timidly, we advance to the door and touch the bell. A weird resounding note penetrates the still night and a low voice bids us, "Co-o-ome." With shaking fingers, we lift the latch cautiously and descend the creaking stairs.

As our eyes become accustomed to the dark, we notice, in the center of a table, a peculiar object which reminds us of Aladdin's lamp. A noise from behind announces the presence of our hostess. At Bev's question, she explains that the lamp has been handed down for many generations and possesses a magical power. Our expressions suggest skepticism; so, to prove her point, she glides across the floor and drops some powder from her ring into the lamp. A thin veil of smoke twists its way into the room, becoming thicker and thicker until we can see a dense forest surrounding a lonely ranger's cabin with key-lookout Vint scanning the horizon. A couple of trees topple, and into view come Joe Fleming and Olie with their little hatchets blazing a new trail for next winter's ski trip. Don Johnson, following behind, suddenly is swallowed up by the ground. As the trap snaps, a shrill bell rings and taxidermists Folsom and Forrister come running onto the scene to recover their catch.

On the edge of the forest is Lewey Bowker sketching Doug True's beautiful farm. Doug's farm boasts of a riding academy and, as the scene shifts to the academy, we see Nancy Horne trying to rent a bronco from riding master Danny Flynn.

A short distance up the road there is a sign which reads "Honeymoon Lane." The road is lined with pretty white houses with purple



BARBARA  
CAMBRIA

trimming. The first mailbox tells us we are at the home of the R. Greens. Nancy S. Green holds Dick Jr. by the collar with one hand. With the other hand she copies a recipe for hot coffee given to her by Bev L. McWay. Across the street we see Shirley and Barbara, the married O'Marrah sisters, gossiping about red-faced Paul Joubert, a neighbor, who is hanging some tiny unmentionables on the line. Shirley B. and John Hurd, sitting in their back yard, have decided that Paul's better half, Marriane, must be out on a newspaper assignment. The last house displays a sign, "White's Beauty Shop." Inside, under dryers,

sit the Carroll sisters, reading Joe Palooka, while Mary D'Errico and Joanne exchange tasty bits of news.

Down the road the little green school house is in full swing. Dotty Burkhardt picks up one of Ann Gonya's screaming little darlings by the ear. Downstairs in the cafeteria Marion Henley, experienced dietitian, and Audrey Bergsten, whip up a new no-vitamin lunch together. Ethel Kelman and Paulina Peters are out in the yard trying to keep the children away from Johnny Knipe's U-Drive-It business establishment. Johnny is busy, at the moment, watching Andy Morgo, the playboy, and John Wicklund arguing over the price of Andy's car at Wicklund's Scrap Steel yard. As usual, there isn't much left of Andy's car.

An ambulance screams around the corner. Jerry Granger is at the wheel—he has become quite good at one-arm driving. The hospital sends a nurse with him. Midge Goodell and Mary Lou Parsons come running out to take care of the patient. It is a man, Tommy Hays in fact, so Midge instructs Mary Lou to leave. We later learned that Midge takes care of **Men** only. In the waiting room for expectant fathers, Carlo is entertaining the nervous fathers—he's perfectly calm himself, of course.

Screams from downstairs draw our attention to the dental clinic. Barbara Farr is busy pulling Kenneth Hultquist's teeth. Toothless Dottie Parks and Priscilla Birnie look out the window at the crowd gathering on the common as they await a fitting for new plates. By the look on their faces, we can easily see that they are looking at the male populace of Shrewsbury.

At the new auditorium a riot is in full progress, led by Larry Bartlett, Bob Cashmon, and David Johnson, who are target practicing with rotten tomatoes. The target seems to be that debating team, from Washington, D. C., of Jewers, Antoun, Larry Flynn, and Concordia. Inside, the Chicago band, led by Nancy Armstrong, Francis Joslyn, Dick Berggren, George Chevalier, Robert Crandall, and Joey Thayer, is playing a hot number. Jeanne Holmes is featured as the world's champion soprano. Her manager, Bev Moore, looks on critically.

Insurance President David Morgan is keeping his secretaries, Theresa Schiavone, Mary Davis, and Lena Simone quite busy these days. The office is next door to the auditorium and Dave doesn't want to miss a chance of another "Sale." Ruel Dudley and Camella Maenzo work industriously, trying to keep the firm from bankruptcy.

Walking past Mastro and Cate's hardware store, is Jimmy Joubert, with samples of green stuff he had just taken from the bank where he works. He hasn't started to give away any of the samples yet.

In Eaton's market, Bill Elliott, Joe Albrizio, and Alvar Nelson are seen busily labeling the customers. Over in the corner, Micky Quirk referees a watermelon ball game. Demo, Hugo, Charlie Morison, and John Grande are the star players. Suddenly from around a stack of canned goods, comes a carriage piloted recklessly by Lloyd Chamberlain. Alice manages to pick up a few things as they skid around the corners. Sargent Clifford drives up in the store truck and Howard Kesseli rushes over and starts taking inventory.

Across the street is Danielson's Department Store. Jean English is telling decorators Barbara Cambria and Loretta Morelle how attractive their new display window looks with all those old candid shots taken in 1949. Irene Smith and Phyllis Sencabaugh, through work as beauticians at the store for the day, head for Stoneback's Movie Theater. In the ticket line is Chet Ireland who is about to abandon hope of getting a date with the cute cashier, Lo Hagerstrom. Suddenly, out sails "Jo" Morrissey, bounced by Charlie Borghe-sani and Ronald Nelson. He's proud of the fact that it took two to get him out.

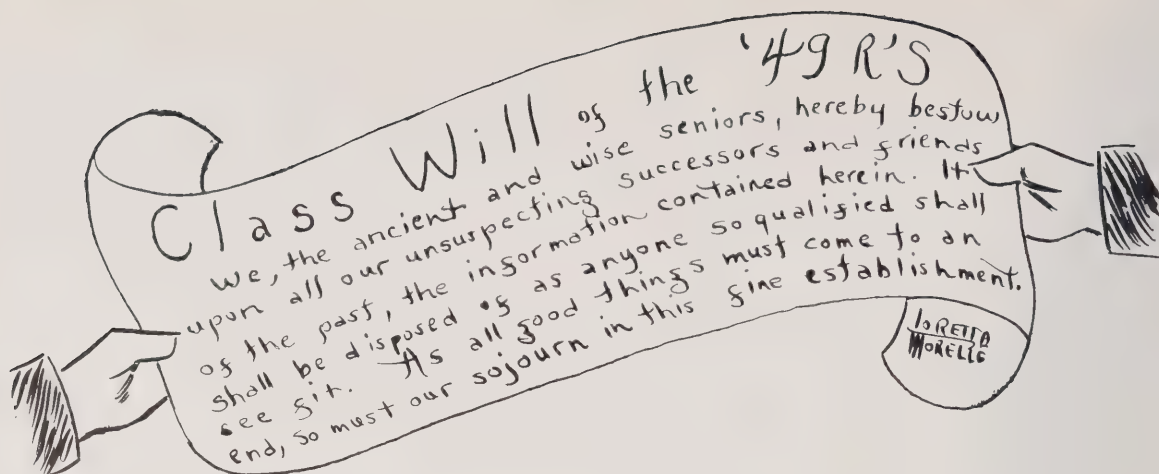
Over in a dark corner, that irresistible man, Gil Burrell, is holding hands with Lisa Johnson and Norma Mathieson while Harry Shepherd is trying to get at least one of them away from Gil.

A great plane roars overhead, knocking off the roof of the theater; Pilot Bonnie Coghlin waves out the window with his crutch as hostess Barbara Smith quickly tries to calm the panic-stricken passengers with a cup of hot milk. The crash causes Jeannie Wallsten, Beverly Janson, and Dorrie Whitney, who have been enjoying the picture, to emerge on the run—they thought it was an atom bomb attack.

As the plane goes out of sight, the smoke becomes thinner and thinner, and finally disappears. Without a word, Madame Maragha goes to the door and motions for us to leave. Amazed by the things which we have just seen, we stumble up the stairs, retrace our steps down the dark alley. As we emerge at the end, the night becomes clear, and the stars are shining brightly above us.

Beverly Lundgren  
Beverly Janson





Be it remembered that We, Seniors of the Class of 1949, tired and spent, looking forward most happily to that all-important day in June, do submit this as our last will and testament.

We direct that our parting be gay and noisy to make up for the unseemly quiet imposed upon us by our teachers.

To MR. STURTEVANT, we leave, if not a new school, a slight renovation of the present one.

To MR. COOKE, we leave a well-behaved student who will enter the office on a strictly business basis.

To MRS. MARSHON, we leave someone to tread through the corridors with the notices.

To MRS. HAMEL, we leave an extra large bottle of ink eradicator and that long-needed secretary.

To MISS NELSON, we leave the Loren-Murchison ring salesman.

To MISS DONELAN, MISS SHEA, MISS LOTHROP we leave a year's vacation from the work of class advisers. They certainly need it!!!!

To MR. JACOBS, we leave a class that realizes the importance of leaving answers in radical form.

To MISS GUCCIARDI, we leave a French class that will say "Parlez-vous français" with real French flavor.

To MISS MULHOLLAND and MISS PARKS we leave the job of seeing next year's seniors through without having heart failure before the year is out.

To MR. LARRABEE, we leave a gas mask for use when he is opening a bottle of hydrogen sulphide.

To MISS CHURCHILL, we leave our deepest appreciation for help with the planning of class day and graduation.

To MISS CHASE, we leave a bottle of vitamin pills to be distributed to all girls taking gym.

To MR. IRISH, we leave quiet study pupils, so that future mathematicians may secure a complete basic knowledge from his teachings.

To MISS PROUTY, we leave many happy memories of an interesting geography class.

To MISS SAWIN, we leave a brilliant student who can absorb all the wonderful history which she teaches.

To MRS. DAWSON, we leave a whole new batch of Freshmen.

To MRS. FIPPEN, we leave a period just for Home Economics.

To MISS DRINKWINE, we leave model students like DOROTHY BACKHOLM and CECILE DUMAS.

To COACH BERGSTROM, we leave all the luck in the world for his new teams.

To MISS GUMMER, we leave a longer day so she can get all her work done before sundown.

To MRS. GREEN, we leave an assistant to transport the "patients" to their homes.

To MRS. VISCARDI, we leave a brand new piano.

To MR. CONNELLY, the girls leave their telephone numbers.

To MR. LALLI, we leave a loud speaker to make him heard during the Senior lunch period.

To MR. BOWKER, we leave a drawing class which is not accompanied by music.

To MR. BACCARO, we leave a new shop so he can forget about that "slow boat to China."

To MR. BRESNAHAN, we leave self-polishing windows.

To the school we leave five new telephone booths in which the students may receive calls.

The following members of the Senior Class for no reason at all, bequeath the following:

PAUL JOUBERT won't leave MARRIANE ZENIS.

NANCY ARMSTRONG leaves her jolly ways to some deserving Junior.

AUDREY BERGSTEN leaves her ability in the field of Biology to MARION FADGEN.

PRISCILLA BIRNIE and SHIRLEY O'MARRAH leave their jobs as cafeteria managers to JEAN RICHARDSON and BETH SHEPARD.

CHARLIE BORGHESANI leaves his ideas about big business deals to GEORGE DELORTO.

BARBARA CAMBRIA leaves her skill in the field of art to SANDRA HATCH.

SALLY CARROLL leaves her ride home in a Mercury convertible to her sister GLORIA.

SARGENT CLIFFORD leaves his witty jokes to CAMERON CATE.

GEORGE CONCORDIA leaves his football ability to "BROTHER JOE."

ROBERT CRANDELL leaves his knowledge of physics to DICK PROCTOR.

MARY DAVIS leaves her pocket puzzles to ROBERTA LOOMER.

MARY D'ERRICO leaves her fighting ability to RUTH MAZUS.

JEAN ENGLISH leaves her soft speaking voice to ARDETH CLIFFORD.

DANNY FLYNN leaves his horsemanship to RONNY McVICKER.

DICK FOLSOM leaves his stories about hunting experiences to LOREN FORRISTER.

LOIS HAGERSTROM leaves her dreams of a red convertible.

CHESTER IRELAND leaves his speed in typing to DONALD GREEN.

DAVID JOHNSON leaves with JAMES JOUBERT.

BARBARA FARR leaves her pleasing personality to JANET MITCHELL.

NANCY STEVENS leaves her disposition to JANE GREENWOOD.

JEANNE HOLMES leaves her voice to CAROL DUNN.

MARION HENLEY leaves her fast-moving fingers to some player who is still struggling with "Chop-sticks."

"MIDGE" GOODELL leaves the dues book to the treasurer of the next senior class, with the hopes that the next class will pay their dues with a smile.

ALICE WOOD leaves her undying friendship to MARY SIMONIAN.

BEVERLY JANSON leaves—with all the boys.

CHARLES MORISON leaves his popularity to PAUL CLARK.

ROBERT JEWERS leaves all his information on "How Important It Is to Be a Good Orator" to PAUL BARTON.

JEAN WALLSTEN leaves a notebook and a pencil to the next senior class secretary.

PHYLLIS SENCABAUGH leaves all her books to the present juniors, especially that heavy "English Lit" book.

WILLIAM ELLIOTT leaves his skill in solving Trig and Solid problems to unsuspecting DOUG FOHLIN who thinks he will take those subjects.

BEVERLY MOORE leaves her everlastingly blushing face to JEAN CARPENTER.

MARRIANE ZENIS leaves her title of Editor-in-Chief of the "Town Crier" and the senior Yearbook to the next lucky one.

HARRY SHEPARD leaves his "slick" appearance to PAUL BARTON.

BOB CASHMON leaves his flashy ties to GILBERT HARRINGTON.

ROBERT OLSON leaves his roving ability to ANDREW PHILLIPS.

DORIS WHITNEY leaves an ounce of her brain to some poor underclassman.

JOAN THAYER leaves her musical mind to the poor struggling Harmony class.

BARBARA O'MARRAH leaves her unsuppressable laughter to FRANNIE DEMING who has enough energy to take on where BARBARA "laft" off.

DAVID MORGAN leaves his baseball uniform to SONNY BATES.

VINCENT MASTRO leaves his every-ready smile and a tube of toothpaste to BOB BORGATTI.

ETHEL KELMAN leaves a peanut butter sandwich, a bottle of milk, and a piece of apple pie to that person at the end of the line in the cafeteria.

WALTER MORRISSEY leaves his bashful way to RONALD CARLSON.

RICHARD VINTON leaves a book entitled "Accepted Excuses for Every Occasion" to BRUCE ANDERSON.

BEVERLY LUNDGREN leaves her quiet nature to Mary DeSalvio.

ANDY MORGO leaves his Chemistry experiments to someone who will make a better attempt than he did to blow up the school.

AUDREY CATE leaves her shyness to LEONORA SEBASTYN.

JOHN WICKLUND leaves his debits, credits, and correct balances to ROBERT ARMSTRONG.

RICHARD ANTOUN leaves his debating techniques to HARVEY LERNER.

JOHN KNIPE leaves all those tiresome duties to MICKEY BRESNAHAN.

ELISE JOHNSON leaves her way with boys to JOAN HEITEN.

FRANCIS JOSLYN leaves ANN FAIRBANKS with a good-bye kiss.

DOROTHY BURKHARDT leaves her efficiency to BARBARA PUTNAM.

ROY DANIELSON leaves his broad shoulders to BOB COMEAU.

ANN GONYA leaves her dancing shoes to PHYLLIS CHARBONNEAU.

DONALD JOHNSON leaves his skill in skiing to his brother KEN.

GILMAN BURRELL leaves his romantic ways to PETER COTTING.

JOE FLEMING leaves his athletic prowess to BOB ENGLUND.

In testimony whereof we hereunto set our hand and in the presence of three witnesses declare this to be our last will this twenty-second day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

KENNETH HULTQUIST  
HOWARD KESSELI  
Class Testators





## Class Song

*Seniors, life lies before us now, fields are wide spreading,  
 Forward, forward and valiantly, facing our future life.  
 Oh hail, hail, hail youth advancing, life pressing forward  
 Calls us, and bids us on to our new day.  
 On classmates, on classmates, to see what days may bring  
 On comrades, on comrades, our song of hope we sing;  
 Let's take up the challenge, fling out our banners free,  
 Press on then to victory!  
 Though the days before us, challenge all our strength;  
 Though the mighty conflict now seems of fearful length:  
 Still the star above us, with its hopeful ray  
 Shining through the blackness and pointing to our way  
 Leads us ever onward to meet our future goal.  
 On Seniors, on Seniors, to see what days may bring,  
 On comrades, on classmates, our song of hope we sing;  
 We'll take up the challenge, fling wide our banners free.  
 March on to our victory.*

*Phyllis Sencabough  
 Joan Thayer*

## Class Hymn of 1949

### Shrewsbury High School

*Let every voice be raised in song in praise to Shrewsbury High.  
 Telling the story of her fame in all of the years gone by.  
 We forty-niners promise now to our hearts she'll always be nigh.  
 So through the years we will remain e'er faithful to Shrewsbury High.  
 We follow now the pathway trod by those who've gone before.  
 Still we proclaim among them all, not one ever loved her more.  
 The friendships made, the honors gained we'll remember until we die.  
 So through the years we will remain e'er faithful to Shrewsbury High.*

*Words and Music by  
 Jeanne M. Holmes*



Charles Morison	<i>Most cheerful</i>	Doris Whitney
George Concordia	<i>Most capable</i>	Beverly Janson
Gilman Burrell	<i>Best dancer</i>	Ann Gonya
Charles Morison	<i>Most popular</i>	Doris Whitney
Gilman Burrell	<i>Most romantic</i>	Nancy Stevens
Charles Morison	<i>Best personality</i>	Doris Whitney
Andrew Morgo	<i>Best complexion</i>	Jean Wallsten
George Concordia	<i>Most ambitious</i>	Joan Thayer
Paul Joubert	<i>Wittiest</i>	Mary D'Errico
David Morgan	<i>Most help to class</i>	Marriane Zenis
Richard Antoun	<i>Most businesslike</i>	Carmella Maenzo
Lawrence Bartlett	<i>Most mischievous</i>	Barbara O'Marra
Carlo Alano	<i>Best singer</i>	Jeanne Holmes
Joseph Albrizio	<i>Neatest</i>	Barbara Cambria
Robert Cashmon	<i>Most talkative</i>	Alice Wood
Lawrence Flynn	<i>Best bluffer</i>	Barbara Farr
Joseph Fleming	<i>Best looking</i>	Beverly Janson
George Concordia	<i>Most likely to succeed</i>	Joan Thayer
Joseph Fleming	<i>Best athlete</i>	Beverly Janson
Joseph Fleming	<i>Most versatile</i>	Doris Whitney
Elmer Stoneback	<i>Most bashful</i>	Nancy Horne
Lawrence Bartlett	<i>Noisiest</i>	Nancy Stevens
	<i>Girl out of "Mademoiselle"</i>	Barbara Farr
Joseph Albrizio	<i>Boy out of "Esquire"</i>	
Lawrence Flynn	<i>Most argumentative</i>	Loretta Morelle
Richard Antoun	<i>Most intellectual</i>	Beverly Janson
Charles Morison	<i>Best disposition</i>	Marriane Zenis
Lewis Bowker	<i>Nicest hair</i>	Lena Simone
Robert Crandell	<i>Most serious</i>	Marion Henley
Joseph Fleming	<i>Best manners</i>	Marion Henley
Richard Berggren	<i>Most initiative</i>	Dorothy Burkhardt
George Concordia	<i>Most reliable</i>	Beverly Janson
Robert Olson	<i>Most effervescent</i>	Barbara O'Marra
John Knipe	<i>Most sincere</i>	Joan Thayer
Norman Hall	<i>Most original</i>	Jeanne Holmes
Elmer Stoneback	<i>Quietest</i>	Nancy Horne
Lawrence Bartlett	<i>Most inquisitive</i>	Nancy Stevens
Charles Morison	<i>Nicest smile</i>	Marriane Zenis
Charles Morison	<i>Friendliest</i>	Marriane Zenis
Thomas Hays	<i>Most persuasive</i>	Shirley Beer
George Concordia	<i>Best leader</i>	Marriane Zenis



# Activities

*Athletic Association*

*Band*

*Baseball*

*Boys' Basketball*

*Camera Club*

*Cheerleading*

*Class Social Events*

*Crew*

*D. A. R.*

*Debating*

*Dramatic Club*

*Essay Contests*

*Competitive Exam sponsored by  
United Nations Association*

*Competitive Exam in Current Events for the  
Charles Palmer Davis Medal*

*Football*

*French Club*

*Freshman Choir*

*Freshman Prize Speaking*

*Girls' Basketball*

*Glee Club*

*Hi-Y*

*Hockey*

*International Friendship League*

*Junior Prize Speaking*

*Junior Red Cross*

*Lambda Tau Sigma Society*

*Magazine Drive*

*National Forensic League*

*National Honor Society*

*Orchestra*

*School Paper*

*Senior Choir*

*Softball*

*Stamp Club*

*State Student Government Day*

*Student Council*

*Traffic Squad*

*Volleyball*

*Yearbook*



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## JUNIOR PRIZE SPEAKING

*Adviser* .....

Miss Dorothy Churchill

Junior Prize Speaking, sponsored by the Woman's Club, is a competitive program to arouse interest and study in the art of public speaking. A contest is held annually, at which time representatives of the Junior Class present the program before a public audience. The program was held in Nee Hall May 20, 1948, at 8:15 P. M. The prizes were awarded by Mrs. Clymer Reynolds, president of the Shrewsbury Woman's Club.

<i>First Prize</i> .....	Margery Goodell .....	"Personality Plus"
<i>Second Prize</i> .....	Richard Antoun .....	"What a Life"
<i>Third Prize</i> .....	Doris Whitney .....	"Dark Victory"
<i>Others</i> .....	Phyllis Sencabaugh .....	"Lawd Have Mercy"
	Beverly Moore .....	"The Bazaar"
	Nancy Stevens .....	"Hungar"







**TOWN CRIER.** First row: J. Boyce, J. Henne, N. Chalker, A. Clifford, C. Seymour, D. Nelson, M. Lindberg, M. Zenis, H. Lerner, R. Morrell, J. Breen, N. Judson, L. Morelle, M. Simonian, C. Safford. Second row: R. Cathline, B. Moore, M. Goodell, B. Lundgren, M. Henley, D. Burkhardt, Miss M. Shea, Miss L. Lothrop, Mrs. E. Hamel, N. Stevens, B. Farr, I. Smith, F. McGrail, G. Knecht, J. Wallsten. Third row: A. Cate, F. Zuromskis, F. Deming, B. Janson, S. Carroll, J. Streeter, R. Engvall, D. Horne, L. Sebastyn, J. Ireland, P. Sencabaugh, N. Horne, B. Cambria. Fourth row: J. Dube, G. Carroll, J. Dunn, S. Clifford, R. Eaton, N. Hall, R. Mazus, E. Harvey, J. Carpenter.

**FRENCH CLUB.** First row: M. Davis, J. Holmes, A. Sequin, Miss A. Gucciardi, B. Lundgren, R. Englund, C. Bonardi, J. Mitchell. Second row: S. Greenwood, D. Flynn, M. Sencabaugh, J. Carpenter, A. Fairbanks, R. Sandy, P. Milde, B. Moore, I. Smith, J. Wallsten. Third row: A. Cate, K. Johnson, K. Hultquist, P. Clark, A. Clemons, H. Lerner, R. Comeau, J. Dube. Fourth row: F. Zuromskis, F. Deming, F. Morse, B. Putnam, G. Riley, P. Sencabaugh, E. Levesque.

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<i>Girls' Sports</i> .....	Nancy Stevens, Audrey Cate, Frances Zuromskis
<i>Alumni</i> .....	Irene Smith, Barbara Farr
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<i>Exchange</i> .....	Jean Wallsten, Dorothy Burkhardt
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The "Town Crier" has had a very successful year.

Without the cooperation of Miss Lothrop, Miss Shea, Mrs. Hamel, and a very competent staff, we never would have put out such a good school paper.

## THE FRENCH CLUB

<i>President</i> .....	Beverly Lundgren
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	Robert Englund
<i>Secretary</i> .....	Ann Seguin
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Jeanne Holmes
<i>Adviser</i> .....	Miss Antonia Gucciardi

Under the guidance of Miss Gucciardi the French Club is a popular organization which tries to promote friendship between America and France. This year there are thirty-three club members.

The French Club meets every other month. There is a short business meeting conducted by the president, followed by entertainment such as French films, games, puzzles, and music.

This year, early in January, some members chartered a bus and saw the superb French film "Symphonie Pastorale" in Boston. An enjoyable time was had by all who attended.

Letters and packages of food and clothing were sent to Eugene Bocher, a French boy whom the club adopted two years ago.







**TRAFFIC SQUAD:** First row: R. Charette, J. Wallsten, P. Sencabaugh, B. Janson, Mr. Baccaro, Mr. Cooke, Mr. Jacobs, R. Eaton, J. Thayer, D. Whitney, H. Lerner. Second row: M. Simonian, M. Lindberg, B. Shepard, M. D'Amato, B. Farr, I. Smith, L. Simone, M. Goodell, B. Lundgren, J. Ireland. Third row: W. Newton, G. Concordia, M. Henley, M. Zenis, H. D'Alessandro, S. Clifford, E. Garrepy, A. Wood, F. Deming, J. Streeter, D. Flynn.

**STUDENT COUNCIL.** First row: E. Johnson, P. Milde, W. Webb, D. Burkhardt, J. Greenwood, J. Mitchell, E. Sullivan. Second row: D. Morgan, M. Ross, I. Southworth, Mr. J. Cooke, Miss E. Sawin, J. Dube, P. Williams. Third row: P. Sencabaugh, F. Deming, J. Thayer, G. Riley, M. Bell, B. Janson.

# TRAFFIC SQUAD

*Captains* . . . . **Beverly Janson, Russell Eaton**

*Floor Leaders* . . **Doris Whitney, Joan Thayer,  
Jean Wallsten, George Concordia**

*Advisers* **Mr. Cooke, Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Baccaro**

The purpose of the traffic squad is to regulate the passage of pupils to and from classes. The formation of the traffic squad in 1931 was a solution to the corridor regulation problems. Since that time the traffic squad has been recognized as one of the organizations without which the school could not function properly.

## STUDENT COUNCIL

*President* . . . . . **Dorothy Burkhardt**

*Vice-President* . . . . . **William Webb**

*Secretary-Treasurer* . . . . . **Jane Greenwood**

*Advisers* . . . . . **Miss Ethel Sawin,  
Mr. James Cooke**

The Student Council provides a maximum opportunity for student participation in school affairs, promotes the welfare of the school, and helps the student to acquire experience and efficiency in the practice of democracy. Its duties are the selection of traffic officers, planning and supervision of class elections, sending delegates to the National and State area student council conventions, and sponsorship of the Junior Red Cross.

The council is consulted in assigning activities for the year, sponsors Junior Red Cross, sponsors Suggestion Box, assists in selecting traffic officers, plans and supervises class elections, and sends delegates to National and State area student council conventions.







**CLASS OF 1950 (JUNIOR CLASS.)** First row: M. Bresnahan, W. Lockie, W. Lowe, G. Prosser, R. Briggs, R. Kennedy, L. Dean, R. Corcoran. Second row: W. Neupert, J. Mitchell, M. Ross, J. Carpenter, M. D'Amato, Miss F. Mulholland, Miss H. Parks, H. Lerner, M. Lindberg, W. Webb, J. Greenwood, F. Deming, R. Carlson. Third row: P. Trumbull, P. Rossi, J. Richardson, K. Mullen, C. Mariano, M. Simonian, P. Charbonneau, G. Amaral, B. Shepard, M. Kender, E. Nelson, C. Seymour, M. Stolpe, R. Charette. Fourth row: J. Hickey, W. Newton, R. Giard, L. Forrester, R. Henry, R. Ryan, R. Borgatti, A. Phillips, C. Poland, A. Annunziata, P. Brazeau, D. Fohlin, M. Faden. Fifth row: R. Armstrong, J. Ireland, J. Cartier, A. Joudrey, C. Gibson, J. Boyce, J. Henne, R. Cathline, N. Chalker, E. Harvey, R. Mazus, C. Keegan, L. Sebastyn, A. Clifford, G. Carroll. Sixth row: R. Brown E. Garrepy, R. Procter, R. Bowker, R. Tonelli, T. Johnson, R. Wahlstrom, P. Barton, D. Mitchell, J. Dunn, H. Johnson, J. Streeter.

**CLASS OF 1951 (SOPHOMORE CLASS.)** First row: J. Collamore, K. Johnson, R. McCowan, D. Horne, M. Simonian, R. Martinelli, P. DeMaria, R. Alano, R. Comeau. Second row: E. Stevens, J. Dube, P. Milde, R. Loomer, P. Clark, Mr. J. Lalli, Miss A. Gucciardi, M. Rigiero, A. Seguin, G. Riley, I. Southworth, V. Pepper. Third row: D. Backholm, C. Bonardi, M. Sanborn, H. Stoneback, N. Judson, J. Firmin, S. Greenwood, C. Dumas, A. Nelson, D. Flynn, M. Hayes, E. Quirk, M. Gentesse, B. Norton, M. DeSalvio, R. Ireland. Fourth row: A. Andrews, C. Liljestrand, D. Park, M. Catino, D. Green, D. Johnson, J. Montecalvo, J. Errara, B. Symonds, R. Mowry, M. Wilson, F. Mills, H. Sundeen, M. Ryder. Fifth row: G. Ferranto, R. Sandy, V. Hesselton, D. Nelson, T. Betti, M. Sencabaugh, A. Fairbanks, G. Pirone, M. Perreault, M. Sammataro, J. Chamberlin, R. Bates, E. Levesque, B. Gonya, V. Carroll, F. Morse. Sixth row: G. Symonds, F. Zuromskis, A. Clemons, M. Sanborn, L. Anderson, R. Englund, W. Linton, W. Anderson, R. Morrell, C. Turner, B. Putnam.

## JUNIOR CLASS

*President* . . . . . **Harvey Lerner**

*Vice-President* . . . . . **Marjorie D'Amato**

*Secretary* . . . . . **Jeanne Carpenter**

*Treasurer* . . . . . **Marilyn Lindberg**

The Junior class has had a busy year; having its social calendar filled with dances, special attention, of course, being focused on the Junior Prom. It also undertook the selling of Christmas cards and wrapping paper as a money-making activity. The annual Prize Speaking Contest was the highlight this year and they were very proud of all who took part in the contest. The president and all the other class officers have worked long and hard to make the Junior year a successful one.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS

*President* . . . . . **Paul Clark**

*Vice-President* . . . . . **Michael Rigiero**

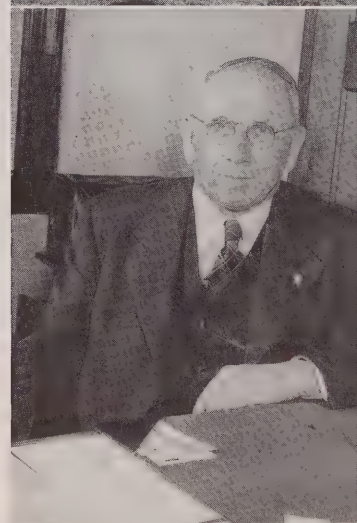
*Secretary* . . . . . **Ann Seguin**

*Treasurer* . . . . . **Roberta Loomer**

The Sophomore Class, this year, was greatly increased by a number of pupils who came from the Coolidge School. There are now eighty members in the class.

On December 17, 1948 a social was held at the school. Although not too many were present, a good time was had by those who attended.

The one main social event of the year was the Sophomore Hop held April 29, 1949.







**CLASS OF 1952 (FRESHMAN CLASS.)** First row: J. Elliott, J. Manzi, M. Bell, E. Sullivan, M. Holbrook, J. Concordia, Mrs. T. Dawson, N. Beer, M. Pride, P. Williams, R. Morgan, C. Brunell. Second row: R. Simone, E. Smith, C. Gaimari, B. Burkhardt, B. Bushy, B. Regan, J. Hickey, I. Noyes, I. Otterson, J. Heiten, G. Severance, R. McVicker. Third row: L. Casasanto, M. McArdle, D. Keegan, R. Burggraaf, B. Norton, M. Mowry, D. Foley, P. Cotting, J. Green, C. Cate, B. Anderson, R. Wahlstrom. Fourth row: J. Nordgren, S. Hatch, J. Breen, J. Whitney, J. Ferrie, J. Valli, A. Sencabaugh, C. Dunn, E. Anderson, P. Mathieu, C. Jordan, J. Moquin. Fifth row: B. Prosser, H. Anderson, G. Whiting, M. Merola, D. Hesselton, G. Harrington, R. Gendron, D. Newton, J. Logan, J. McCarthy.

**FRESHMAN CHOIR.** First row: C. Brunell, J. Manzi, E. Smith, L. Casasanto, Mrs. K. V. Viscardi, B. Burkhardt, M. Holbrook, M. McArdle, C. Gaimari. Second row: J. Breen, S. Hatch, B. Regan, J. Hickey, E. Sullivan, I. Noyes, B. Bushey, I. Otterson, J. Heiten, G. Severance, J. Nordgren, E. Anderson. Third row: J. Ferrie, P. Mathieu, C. Dunn, B. Prosser, J. McCarthy, J. Logan, M. Bell, J. Moquin, C. Jordan, M. Pride, A. Sencabaugh, J. Whitney.

## FRESHMAN CLASS

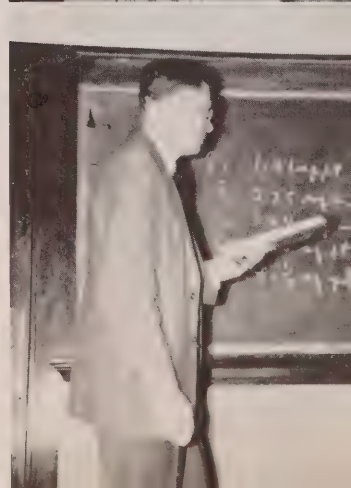
<i>President</i> .....	Joseph Concordia
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	Nancy Beer
<i>Secretary</i> .....	Martha Holbrook
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Marilyn Pride
<i>Student Council</i> .....	Edla Sullivan, Marjorie Bell, Jean Whitney
<i>Adviser</i> .....	Mrs. Dawson

To build a foundation upon which the Freshmen may carry on class meetings by parliamentary procedure, to organize an executive board which will prepare material for meetings and in general to promote a friendly feeling among members of the class are the aims of these young people.

## FRESHMAN CHOIR

*Adviser* ..... Mrs. Kathleen V. Viscardi

Because the Glee Club outgrew itself in size, Mrs. Viscardi, this year, decided to introduce the idea of a Freshman Choir. Singing in unison and two-and three-part songs were emphasized. The Choir's ability was shown at the Christmas program, the Freshman Prize Speaking Contest, and "The Gypsy Troubador."







**SENIOR CHOIR.** First row: B. Smith, M. D'Errico, M. Davis, E. Johnson, D. Park, Mrs. K. V. Viscardi, A. Bergsten, B. Farr, N. Stevens, M. Goodell, B. Lundgren. Second row: I. Smith, N. Mathieson, L. Simone, J. Holmes, J. Wallsten, A. Cate, M. Zenis, M. Henley, M. Parsons, P. Senca-  
baugh, D. Whitney. Third row: C. Alano, W. Morrissey, G. Chevalier, D. Johnson, J. Wicklund, C. Ire-  
land, E. Stoneback, D. Morgan, J. Joubert, A. Morgo, J. Grande. Fourth row: N. Hall, D. Johnson,  
P. Joubert, A. Wood, S. Carroll, R. Jewers, H. D'Alessandro, P. Birnie, M. Carroll, R. Eaton, J.  
Albrizio.

**ORCHESTRA.** First row: P. Joubert, F. Joslyn, R. Berggren, Mrs. K. V. Viscardi, J. Henne,  
R. Jewers, N. Judson, R. Sandy. Second row: R. Loomer, M. Henley, M. Ross, W. Neupert, P. Senca-  
baugh, R. Crandell, F. Zuromskis, T. Johnson, G. Symonds, J. Thayer, J. Carpenter.

# SENIOR CHOIR

*Adviser* . . . . . Mrs. Kathleen V. Viscardi

Stress on blending of voices, sight reading, and interpretation are the aims of the Senior Choir. This year they sang at Christmas assemblies, the P. T. A. program at the Coolidge School, the Spring Concert, a Music festival, and the Class Day and Graduation programs.

A few of the Senior Choir members held leading roles in the operetta sponsored by the Glee Club. Sincere appreciation was extended to the group for helping to make the performance a success.

## ORCHESTRA

*Adviser* . . . . . Mrs. Kathleen V. Viscardi

The high school orchestra, under the able leadership of Mrs. Kathleen Viscardi, has met once a week for practice. It is a very popular organization, being required to play at all school functions, such as Parent Teacher Association meetings; Christmas programs; National Honor Society Installation; the Spring Concert, which this year was "The Gypsy Troubador"; Memorial Day exercises; and last but not least, Class Day and Graduation exercises.







**GLEE CLUB. Sophomores**—First row: H. Stoneback, A. Nelson, C. Dumas, S. Greenwood, J. Firmin, N. Judson, Mrs. K. V. Viscardi, M. Sanborn, R. Loomer, C. Bonardi, V. Pepper, D. Backholm, R. Ireland. Second row: M. Simonian, D. Flynn, M. Hayes, M. Gentesse, E. Stevens, M. DeSalvio, B. Norton, D. Nelson, P. Milde, R. Sandy, T. Betti, M. Sencabaugh, A. Fairbanks, J. Dube, G. Symonds, F. Zuromskis, R. Comeau. Third row: G. Pirone, V. Hesselton, P. De'Maria, D. Horne, K. Johnson, R. McCowan, R. Alano, D. Park, M. Catino, M. Rigiero, D. Johnson, J. Errara, M. Wilson, R. Mowry, F. Morse. Fourth row: J. Perreault, J. Chamberlin, R. Bates, E. Levesque, V. Carroll, B. Gonya, B. Putnam, C. Turner, G. Riley, A. Seguin, M. Ryder, I. Southworth, A. Andrews, G. Ferranto, M. Sammataro. Fifth row: D. Green, J. Montecalvo, R. Englund, L. Anderson, A. Clemons, W. Linton, P. Clark, B. Symonds.

**GLEE CLUB. Juniors**—First row: P. Charbonneau, J. Boyce, J. Mitchell, M. Lindberg, D. Nelson, C. Seymour, J. Greenwood, Mrs. K. V. Viscardi, B. Shepard, G. Amaral, C. Mariano, M. Simonian, M. Kender, N. Chalker, J. Henne. Second row: P. Brazeau, D. Fohlin, T. Johnson, R. Carlson, R. Briggs, R. Kennedy, L. Forrister, G. Prosser, W. Newton, H. Lerner, R. Borgatti, P. Trumbull, R. Charette. Third row: M. D'Amato, A. Clifford, R. Cathline, A. Joudrey, J. Carpenter, J. Hickey, M. Fadgen, M. Stolpe, M. Ross, J. Cartier, G. Carroll, E. Harvey, R. Mazus, C. Gibson. Fourth row: L. Sebastyn, C. Keegan, L. Dean, J. Streeter, R. Tonelli, D. Mitchell, M. Bresnahan, J. Dunn, W. Webb, D. Proctor, A. Annunziata, F. Deming, J. Ireland.

# GLEE CLUB

*Adviser* . . . . . Mrs. Kathleen V. Viscardi

Membership in the Glee Club this year was limited to Sophomore and Junior groups. Voice blending, part singing, and interpretation have been stressed.

The Spring Concert this year was an operetta, "The Gypsy Troubador." The cast was as follows:

David Morgan . . . . .	Todoro
Margery Goodell . . . . .	Maria
Rudolph Alano . . . . .	Vario
Frances Zuromskis . . . . .	Janina
Doris Whitney . . . . .	Elena
Hugo D'Alessandro . . . . .	Marko
Ann Gonya . . . . .	Rosita
Carlo Alano . . . . .	Nikoli
Richard Berggren . . . . .	Tom Gordon
Jeanne Holmes . . . . .	Mrs. Jean Jerrold
Michael Rigiero . . . . .	Henry Clayton
Frances Deming . . . . .	Mary Matthews
Ardeth Clifford . . . . .	Clare Clayton

The operetta included Gypsy dances, mixed choruses, and orchestra selections. It was performed for two consecutive evenings.

The proceeds of this performance are used for a Music Scholarship Fund and to purchase sheet music for music classes throughout the year. This year, a wire recorder was purchased for the use of the High School music classes.







**DEBATING CLUB.** First row: J. Mitchell, R. Morrell, H. Lerner, Mr. J. Lalli, Miss D. Churchill, P. Sencabaugh, N. Stevens, J. Greenwood. Second row: B. Anderson, A. Sencabaugh, W. Anderson, R. Jewers, R. Proctor, E. Kelman, P. Williams, N. Armstrong, B. Norton.

**NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE.** First row: J. Greenwood, Mr. J. Lalli, J. Mitchell, Miss D. Churchill, R. Antoun, P. Sencabaugh, R. Jewers, B. Lundgren, N. Stevens. Second row: F. Deming, J. Thayer, R. Morrell, H. Lerner, D. Whitney, R. Proctor, B. Moore, E. Kelmen, J. Holmes.

# DEBATING CLUB

*Manager* ..... Harvey Lerner  
*Assistant* ..... Richard Morrell  
*Secretary* ..... Phyllis Sencabaugh

Debating is undertaken when enough interest is shown. The purpose of the club is to help the development of logical thinking and argumentation. This year under the able leadership of Mr. Lalli, coach, and Harvey Lerner, manager, the club has been very active. The subject for debate this year was "Resolved: That the United Nations now be revised into a federal world government." Among the schools that we have met in debate are Amherst, Clinton, Grafton High School, and North High School of Worcester. The club also debated Milton Academy and St. John's and St. Peter's High Schools. The varsity team went to Portland, Maine, in March to participate in the New England Forensic League debating contest. They also entered a contest sponsored by Boston University. In April the club was represented in a tournament which was held at Grafton High School. The season has been very satisfying and the club has high hopes for next year.

## NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE

*President* ..... Richard Antoun  
*Vice-President* ..... Robert Jewers  
*Corresponding Secretary* .... Janet Mitchell  
*Recording Secretary* .... Phyllis Sencabaugh

The National Forensic League has in the past year progressed far in its field of public speaking. Many activities of interest to both school and town have been undertaken and carried out to successful conclusion. New, active, and associate members have been admitted to the Forensic League.

In March the Forensic Follies, a skit, was presented before the high school assembly, where it was received with great applause. Speakers from Shrewsbury were chosen to give a display of forensic ability at the Northboro and Grafton High Schools and before various town organizations during the year.

In March, and then again in April, the debaters and speakers—dramatic, humorous, oratorical, and extemporaneous—competed in the annual New England debating and speaking tournaments in Portland and Lewiston, Maine. In addition to the honors, speakers have won experience as well as gained genuine enjoyment. These trips provided a fitting climax for a successful year of Forensic League activities.







**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY.** First row: M. Henley, D. Burkhardt, B. Lundgren, B. Cambria, M. Zenis, J. Wallsten. Second row: Miss L. Lothrop, C. Maenzo, R. Antoun, Miss E. Sawin, J. Thayer, G. Concordia, B. Janson, Mr. J. Cooke, R. Crandall, Miss H. Parks, Miss M. Shea.



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# NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

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<i>Secretary</i> .....	Dorothy Burkhardt	Jean Wallsten
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Joan Thayer	Marion Henley

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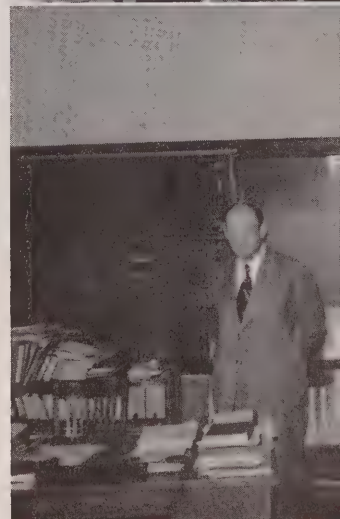
The society is very often of assistance in school affairs. Members usher at the annual Open House for parents, assist in selecting members of the traffic squad, and sponsor auctions. On Memorial Day the society pays tribute by decorating the town monument erected to honor those who have given their lives in the service of their country. The society has also contributed to various worthwhile causes—Shrewsbury Home Nursing Society, Junior Red Cross, and CARE.

Membership in the National Honor Society is the greatest distinction that can be bestowed upon a student in Shrewsbury High School. Both the school and the faculty appreciate the qualities of character, scholarship, leadership, and service displayed by its members.

## JUNIOR RED CROSS

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<i>Adviser</i> .....	Miss Ethel Sawin

The aims and purposes of the Junior Red Cross are threefold: to promote better relations between the United States and foreign countries; to help war-stricken countries; and to make the physically handicapped more cheerful. This year the students filled gift boxes for refugees overseas, made Christmas tray mats, and filled candy baskets. For Rutland Veterans Hospital, the members collected recent magazines and glass ash trays.







BASEBALL. R. Armstrong, W. Morrissey, G. Prosser, D. Green, R. Danielson, J. Collamore, R. Coughlin, G. Granger, E. Garrepy, Mr. F. Bergstrom, R. Tonelli, T. Hays.

CREW. L. Bowker, D. Johnson, R. Eaton, R. Brown, W. Newton, D. Fohlin, A. Clemons, D. Corcoran, W. Elliott, R. Olson, Mr. K. Burns.

# BASEBALL

Shrewsbury High opens its baseball season April 29, when it will play St. John's. The first Blackstone Valley League game is May 3, with Auburn. Because of the weather the boys haven't been able to work outdoors so it is hard to predict what is in store for the Shrewsbury nine.

However, many veterans are back from last year so the prospects look bright.

Veterans returning are Gerry Granger, Dave Morgan, Bob Tonelli, Marty Wilson, Roy Danielson, Bob Coughlin, Tom Hays, Eddie Garrepy, and Joe Fleming.

Shrewsbury will face the following teams this year: St. John's, Auburn, Clinton, Grafton, Millbury, Northbridge, Uxbridge. Two games will be played with each school.

## CREW

This year the crew looks very promising. Although they have lost four oarsmen, they still have quite a few veterans left and many of last year's second crew will make strong bids for places in the first boat. Veterans back include several members of the senior class. Boys representing the Colonials for the last time are Bill Elliot, Harry Shepard, Bob Olson, and Russ Eaton.

Races are scheduled with Tabor Academy, Kent School, and several other schools. The season will be climaxed by the New England Schoolboy Regatta, which will be held on Lake Quinsigamond. The Regatta brings together some of the finest schools in New England.

There is a possibility the crew will compete in Philadelphia again this year.







**BOYS' BASKETBALL.** First row: A. Philip, M. Wilson, J. Collamore, E. Bates. Second row: R. Bowker, H. Lerner, J. Streeter, G. Granger, J. Fleming, R. Olson, G. Burrell, D. Mitchell. Third row: L. Flynn, D. Green, C. Poland, E. Garrepy, P. Barton, R. Danielson, B. Norton, R. Comeau, Coach Bergstrom.

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# BOYS' BASKETBALL

Co-captains 1948-1949 ..... Joseph Fleming, Gerald Granger  
 Co-captains 1949-1950 ..... Robert Bowker, Donald Mitchell

SHREWSBURY	OPPONENTS	SHREWSBURY	OPPONENTS
Shrewsbury 12 (A) ..	Clinton 22	Shrewsbury 18 .....	Grafton 36
Shrewsbury 20 .....	Northboro 32	Shrewsbury 28 .....	Uxbridge 39
Shrewsbury 28 .....	Auburn 36	Shrewsbury 23 .....	Westboro 24
Shrewsbury 30 .....	Northboro 41	Shrewsbury 34 .....	Clinton 30
Shrewsbury 23 .....	Grafton 39	Shrewsbury 30 .....	Holden 43
Shrewsbury 23 .....	St. Peter's 36	Shrewsbury 37 (B) .....	Holden 43
Shrewsbury 28 .....	Westboro 40	Shrewsbury 49 (C) .....	Northbridge 44
Shrewsbury 18 .....	Uxbridge 24	(A) Boston Garden	
Shrewsbury 36 .....	Holden 27	(B) Clark Tournament	
Shrewsbury 25 .....	Auburn 24	(C) Overtime	
Shrewsbury 16 .....	St. Peter's 39		

Because of the loss of all the tall lettermen of last season, the high school basketball team got off to a bad start. After losing eight straight games, the Colonials finally found the mark against one of our chief rivals—Holden. By defeating Holden, the Colonials went on to take a one point decision over Auburn a few nights later. Then they began to run into some tall teams again and were not able to score a victory until they played Clinton near the tail end of the season. The Colonials then entered the Clark tournament as underdogs but very nearly upset a much taller opposing five before the tournament ended. In a post-season game Shrewsbury found the range again and scored a thrilling victory over Northbridge High School. In a pre-season game Shrewsbury traveled to Boston Garden where they encountered a defeat by Clinton.

The J-V's had a very impressive season winning all but five of their games. Next year's squad will be needing some of them to fill the positions left by the graduating seniors.

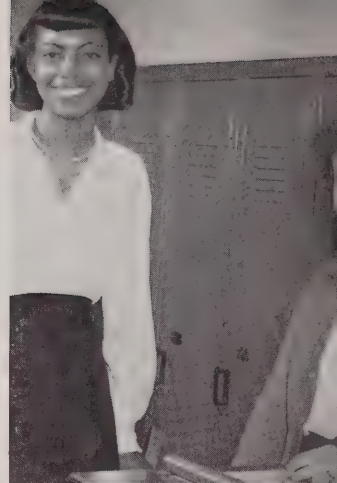
# FOOTBALL

Head Coach ..... Francis A. Bergstrom  
 Assistant Coach ..... George Forgues  
 Faculty Manager ..... John Connelly  
 Managers ..... Michael Quirk, Earl Bates

SHREWSBURY	OPPONENTS	SHREWSBURY	OPPONENTS
Shrewsbury 0 .....	Hudson 7	Shrewsbury 0 .....	Clinton 32
Shrewsbury 0 .....	Uxbridge 12	Shrewsbury 0 .....	Mary Wells 7
Shrewsbury 32 .....	St. Mary's 6	Shrewsbury 20 .....	Leicester 0
Shrewsbury 19 .....	Auburn 6	Shrewsbury 13 .....	Holden 7
Shrewsbury 33 .....	Millbury 7	Shrewsbury 7 .....	Westboro 0

The football team got off to a rather slow start this year by dropping the first two games to Hudson and Uxbridge but bounced right back winning the next three in a row.

On Armistice Day one of our big rivals, Holden, was defeated 13-7. Our next triumph was over Westboro on Thanksgiving Day. Harvey Lerner was elected captain of next year's team.







**LAMBDA TAU SIGMA.** First row: J. Greenwood, M. Zenis, D. Whitney, B. Janson, J. Mitchell, N. Judson  
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Cate, R. Loomer. Third row: M. Ross, J. Ireland, I. Smith, F. Deming, J. Dube.

**GIRLS' BASKETBALL.** First row: J. Firmin, E. Sullivan, J. Manzi, B. Burkhardt, M. McArdle. Second  
row: C. Safford, D. Whitney, E. Nelson, J. Cartier, M. Ross, J. Greenwood, F. Deming, M. Fadgen,  
N. Judson, L. Casasanto. Third row: J. Wallsten, M. Pride, A. Seguin, F. Zuromskis, R. Bates, E.  
Levesque, J. Dube, G. Symonds, J. Hickey, M. Sencabaugh, Miss M. Chase. Fourth row: R. Loomer,  
J. Nordgren, H. Anderson, J. Logan, J. Ireland, J. McCarthy, M. Holbrook.

# LAMBDA TAU SIGMA

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<i>Adviser</i> .....	Mrs. Russell Bath

September, 1948, and another year of Lambda Tau Sigma began. It was a year filled with many happy hours together under the wonderful and able guidance of our adviser, Mrs. Russell Bath.

The first social activity of the year was the annual hayride. This was followed by a penny sale, where each member was allowed to bring guests. As the weeks flew by, we found ourselves beginning plans for the Christmas Ball. In order to have sufficient funds for the dance, a food sale was held in MacInnes department store. The dance was a grand success, and for the first time in three years we weren't honored with a blizzard. On February fifth the "Record Roundup" was held and all funds were given the Shrewsbury Home Nursing and Heart Fund. Later on in this month a campaign was carried on, clothes collected and a Rummage Sale was held in Worcester. This sale proved to be well worth the work which it involved.

During the year we have had speakers such as Mr. Parsons, Dr. Jewell, Mrs. Holbrook, Miss Mildred Bailey of station WCOP in Boston, and Mrs. McVicker of Grafton. Each speaker left us with invaluable information about different vocations.

An important change was made in the constitution whereby definite goals were set toward which any girl could strive to attain membership.

Our year together will end with a banquet, where, for the last time, the Seniors will share another wonderful memory and leave with the feeling that they have learned to work and play together as active members of an active society.

## GIRLS' BASKETBALL

<i>Coach</i> .....	Miss Margaret Chase
<i>Co-captains</i> ..	Mary Ross, Jane Greenwood
<i>Managers</i> .....	Doris Whitney, Jean Wallsten

This year the Girls' Varsity Basketball team was composed entirely of Juniors. Every game proved exciting although the results were not so encouraging for the Shrewsbury team. Despite the brilliant efforts of the team, with Mary Ross as high scorer, it won only two games out of twelve.

Two bright spots in a rather dark and gloomy season were the exhibition games, the first with the teachers and the second with the Boys' Varsity. Though the Girls' Varsity led from the first, the teachers livened up the game by wearing colorful costumes and going through such antics as using a stepladder to reach the baskets. The match between the boys and the girls was thrilling, but we still won't mention the score!! Our sincere thanks to the good sports who contributed their time and energies toward making these two games successful.

Best of luck to next year's team. Let's hope they have just as entertaining a season as this year's but a little bit more successful.

SHREWSBURY	OPPONENTS
Shrewsbury 15 .....	Auburn 23
Shrewsbury 22 .....	Marlboro 32
Shrewsbury 19 .....	Grafton 40
Shrewsbury 14 .....	Webster 21
Shrewsbury 33 .....	Holden 29
Shrewsbury 13 .....	Northboro 51

SHREWSBURY	OPPONENTS
Shrewsbury 20 .....	Grafton 7
Shrewsbury 18 .....	Marlboro 25
Shrewsbury 8 .....	Webster 10
Shrewsbury 16 .....	Holden 32
Shrewsbury 17 .....	Auburn 26
Shrewsbury 18 .....	Northboro 36





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